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Years Spent Sketching Modeling Egypt's ings and Queens

Sculptor Had Audacity the Nude Picture of Royal Princess

Y L. BALDERSTON
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Dec. 20.—The Egyptian King Tut's day, under the of religious and artis- derived from Tut's her, King Akhnaton, had during, and they must many busy years modelling the royal of the rich court.

dispatch, an outline was achievements of the Akhnaton, who cast ples of Amon and be- worshiper of one Tut, then known as was probably a lad when Akhnaton to react religious zeal, the for art and life of the heretic king.

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are indebted to the who gets you to any worthy cause.

cidents and taxi driver is held on charge of suspicion of manslaughter. Page 1, Part II.

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WASHINGTON. Secretary of War Davis is reported prepared to wield disciplinary whip on certain army factions if Mitchell court-martial is not taken as salutary lesson. Page 1, Part I.

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Battle appears imminent in Congress against proposed reorganization of customs service. Page 3, Part I.

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FOREIGN. London paper gives prominence to rumor Mussolini intends to proclaim Italy an empire in 1926, with full consent of King. Page 1, Part I.

Premier Briand analyzes French prospects in most important statement given out since beginning of present crisis. Page 1, Part I.

Daring shown by Egyptian artists and sculptors in execution of works depicting Egypt's kings and queens as disclosed by relics of King Tut's tomb. Page 1, Part I.

PROHIBITION ROW RAGES

Federal Records Are Stolen

Expense Account in Hotel Mayflower Parties Among Papers

Drys Seek to Broaden Law Permitting Searching of Private Homes

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The riot of words over prohibition continued unabated today with new ramifications adding fury to the controversy and fresh incitements in prospect.

The Sunday developments included disclosure that a file of government records in the Mayflower Hotel liquor case had been stolen from prohibition headquarters and an announcement by dry leaders that counter-moves will be made against the new onslaught by the wets. The drys are preparing to counter the wet liberalizing moves with efforts to amend the Volstead Act to tighten further its provisions respecting search of private homes.

As a consequence of the drive loosed against prohibition by Representative Gallivan in the House yesterday and the recent liquor indictments in Indiana, Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, and Representative Berger of Wisconsin, each issued statements on the general subject of liquor enforcement.

DRYS ACCUSED

Mr. Wheeler struck back at the Massachusetts member, who had denounced him the day before, and Mr. Berger, who favors legalization of beer and wine, charged that the drys, by their efforts to enforce the Volstead Act, "were creating a series of evils greater than the one they intended to remove."

The Anti-Saloon League counsel announced that a bill soon will be introduced to broaden the powers of prohibition agents in searching private homes. Under present provisions of the Volstead Act, he said it is impossible for enforcement officers to obtain a search warrant for entry to a private home unless they have evidence of sales, and the purpose of the new bill is to make any new evidence of manufacture of distilled spirits reason for entry.

As to the government records which were stolen, officials said little. Prohibition Commissioner Haynes admitted they had been stolen a few days prior to the

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Santa Claus Congress

ITALY MAY BECOME EMPIRE

Rumor Current Abroad Credits Mussolini With Intent to Issue Proclamation in 1926

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A report is current here tonight, emanating from a usually trustworthy source, that Premier Mussolini intends to proclaim Italy an empire during the coming year. This intention of Italy's dictator, it is stated, has the full approval of the King of Italy.

Many Fascisti and other believers in a greater Italy, it is well known, dream of the restoration of the glories of the old Roman empire on the soil where the empire flourished and whence its tremendous power radiated throughout the ancient world.

Already Gabrielle d'Annunzio had that dream in the days of the World War, when he made his famous speech by moonlight in the Roman Coliseum and had called upon Italians to rescue their land from being a mere hunting ground for foreign tourists interested only in the ruins of the dead past.

PLAN LONG IN MIND

There is good reason to believe, it is said, that the idea of proclaiming a new Italian empire has always been at the back of Mussolini's mind and that this idea has gained ground recently not only among the Fascisti imbued with the belief that days of tremendous power await the new Italy, but also in court circles.

"It may not be many months before the time is deemed ripe for fulfillment," declares the Sunday Times, which prints conspicuously the tale of Mussolini's imperialistic design.

"In government circles in Rome as in Italian diplomatic circles abroad the greatest reticence is observed regarding the suggested startling developments, but within the inner circles of Fascism the matter is being freely canvassed and Fascist organs have discreetly given vent to the hope that Fascism may set up an Italian empire worthy of its Roman ancestry.

POWERFUL REACTION

"The proclamation of such an empire could not but react powerfully upon the psychology of the Italian people and upon the outlook. The new era may well be heralded by such an event, the creation of the new empire following up the demise of the older German, Austrian and Ottoman empires."

Simultaneously with this indication of the imperial dreams of Premier Mussolini and his entourage, news reached here tonight showing that at least during yuletide the officials of the Italian Fascist government in Italy's new Tyrolean territory are inclined to be less severe and imperialistic toward the former Austrian inhabitants of the Tyrol. It is stated that the Italian government has rescinded the recent order prohibiting the felling of fir trees in the Tyrol for use as Christmas trees and the sale of Christmas trees in the market-places of Tyrolean towns now under Italian rule.

As the result of this change of front, the Tyroleans will be enabled this year to have their candle-laden fir trees according to the regular Teutonic yuletide custom.

NATION HAS BEEN KINGDOM SINCE 1861

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ROME, Dec. 20.—The Kingdom of Italy was constituted in 1861, when Victor Emmanuel, King of Sardinia, was proclaimed the first King of Italy. Venice was annexed in 1866 from Austria and Rome in 1870 from the Holy See.

The new empire, if the reported plan is put into operation, would comprise Italy proper, Sicily, Sardinia, Elbes and various small islands with a total length of coast of more than 4000 miles. The dominion of Italy on the coast of the Red Sea, known as the Colony of Eritrea, covers an area of 45,754 square miles. The colony

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SNOW BLANKETS MIDWEST

Heaviest Storm of Season Accompanied by Drop in Temperature Predicted for Territory

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Heavy, moisture-laden flakes from the southeast today covered Chicago with a blanket of snow that was turned into slush by rain when the temperature moderated. But before Monday night the Weather Bureau predicts, there will be a three-inch mantle of snow over the city.

The storm, the Weather Bureau predicts, will be the heaviest of the season. It will be accompanied by falling temperature, the mercury being expected to reach 25 degrees.

Snow or rain was falling today over the entire Rocky Mountain Region and over the northern and central plains States. At Helena, Mont., there was ten inches of snow on the ground.

Storm warnings were sent out today, advising the Coast Guard to be on the alert, for the wind shifted to the north and is expected to become strong.

The snow and a heavy fog that mantles the lake make shipping exceedingly dangerous.

Shortly before noon today the sky for a few minutes was inky black, due, the Weather Bureau said, to a sudden shift of wind that blew the lake fog and smoke over the city.

BLIZZARD SWEEPS EASTWARD OVER IOWA

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa) Dec. 20. Reports reaching here tonight from various towns in Western Iowa indicate that a blizzard is sweeping eastward over the State with temperatures dropping below zero. A dispatch from Missouri Valley said snow had fallen there for twelve hours and had reached a depth of about six inches at 5 p.m. A heavy wind was blowing. Reports from Boone, Marshalltown, Nevada, Des Moines and other towns in that section of the State said from three to four inches of snow had fallen and that the temperature was dropping.

The railroads also reported a

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DISTRESSED CRAFT LOST WITH CREW

Schooner Grossholm Disappears After Sending Up Distress Rockets

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Swallowed up in the vastness of the ocean, the little freight schooner Grossholm, sighted in distress Saturday morning, still was missing today despite efforts to find her.

The ship literally had disappeared after being in communication with the liner Republic, which went to her assistance after she had fired several rockets. There are fourteen men aboard.

When sighted by the Republic the Grossholm was fourteen miles east of Ambrose Light. The master said he did not wish the Republic to tow him in but would like a tug sent to his assistance. He said his engines had broken down.

Mine Fought by Union Has Mystery Fire

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

STEUBENVILLE (O.) Dec. 20. A blaze in the tipple of the West Virginia and Pittsburgh Coal Company's large mine on the West Virginia side of the Ohio River, four miles south of here, was extinguished late today. Damage is estimated at $35,000.

Sheriff Charles Lowe of Brooke county said that the tipple had been deliberately fired. The mine is involved in the Northern West Virginia strike dispute and is operated by 300 nonunion employes.

FORTY YEARS---IN OIL!

"No fuel—no future," said the world in 1886. And little Los Angeles grit its teeth.

Today, Southern California produces one-fifth of the world's entire petroleum supply. Los Angeles county alone contributes over half the State's output. London busses pay tribute to Los Angeles. Taxicabs of Paris run on gasoline taken from beneath local soil. From practically zero to the richest oil region in the history of the world, that's another chapter of the incredible story of progress unfolded in the Fortieth Anniversary Edition of the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1926.

Get these facts into the consciousness of your eastern friends lest they mistake Los Angeles progress to be a mere manifestation of enthusiasm—a speculative debauch—a boom! Let them know that back of Los Angeles' more than a million inhabitants are world-beating resources in oil, over 5000 individual manufacturing plants, cheap hydroelectric energy, abundant natural gas, the richest agricultural county in America, and the fastest-growing deep-sea harbor on earth. Let them recall that when they eat an orange, attend a motion-picture show, or drive their automobile, they are more than likely contributing to the hundreds of millions of dollars which Southern California collects annually from the world to support and enlarge its industries.

The Times as heretofore will mail copies of the Annual Midwinter Number, postage prepaid, anywhere in United States, Canada or Mexico, at 25 cents per copy, provided names and addresses are furnished so that such copies may actually be mailed by The Times. Individuals mailing copies direct must pay the new zone postal rates.

BRIAND LAYS CARDS UP

French Outlook Analyzed

Frank Statement Given Out by Premier on Prospects of Riding Out Crisis

Many Important Details of Policy Made Plain in Clean-cut Phrases

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—In a remarkably frank statement, the most important issued by any statesman here since the beginning of France's financial difficulties, Premier Aristide Briand tonight made the following analysis of his country's prospects:

"France is sincerely resolved," he said, "to emerge from the regrettable financial crisis which is the natural consequence of a terrible war and the immense expenditures made in order to repair the ruins. It was with her own resources, receiving from Germany up to now very feeble contributions, that France has faced the necessities of her budget and her debt payments without following the advice which counseled the state to reduce by itself the full rights of its creditors.

"The loyal and honest attitude toward those who had placed their confidence in us is an indication of what we will do with our creditors abroad. We wish to arrive at a settlement with the shortest delay. As to France I have no doubt that the good will of all our citizens will enable us to re-establish a strict equilibrium of our finances and the suggestions which we have received from our French industrialists does not permit any doubt about this good will. By our own financial recovery we desire to contribute to the reconstruction of Europe in the peace the basis of which we established at Locarno.

"Now that we have closed the gates to war it is necessary that the revival of activity should be the consequence of the friendly relations which have again taken place between nations which were recently enemies. Collaboration with other great European powers must not only be the only guarantee of security but moreover must be the best way to overcome the crisis of unemployment and to calm the disquietude which the economic situation still justifies in many countries.

"When by our own strength we will have returned to solid finances and when through economical conferences we will have found means for increasing the exchanges between producers of all countries, then one may say we have crowned our work of peace and that France deserves the gratitude of the civilized world by her spirit of peace to the same extent that she deserved it during the war by her endurance and courage."

POLICY MADE PLAIN

The Premier's statement, devoid as it is of vague phrases and useless details makes plain many important phases of his policy. He makes clear: first, that he does not intend to launch into political imbroglios like former regimes regarding the cause of France's difficulties; second, that holders of French bonds will be fully protected and that the funding of foreign debts will be regarded not only as of paramount importance but as one of the urgent features of the government's program; third, that the offer of support to the franc made by France's great industrialist elements is not only regarded as interesting, but that serious study of the project, despite political maneuvers to weaken the effect of this initiative is going on in Paris; fourth, that the Briand regime is consecrated to peace and to European reconstruction and that since the Locarno conference special importance is attached not only to economic treaties with Germany, but also with all the countries of Europe; fifth, that the present government is opposed to the system of foreign loans to which preceding governments resorted to stave off a crisis which the Briand Ministry is now resolved to break "by our own strength."

The Cabinet sat until late last

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FINANCIER IN BATTLE FOR LIFE

G. W. Scott, San Francisco Banker, Seriously Ill at Mission Inn

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—George W. Scott, San Francisco and Alameda capitalist, one of the State's foremost bankers and business men, is seriously ill in Mission Inn, Riverside, it was learned here today. His condition was reported as grave, but not necessarily fatal.

Mr. Scott went with a party of friends for a brief outing and suddenly was overcome by an apoplectic stroke. His two sons, Burt and Leland Scott, hurried to Riverside from their homes in Piedmont and Alameda and are at their father's bedside. A turn for the better is expected in about two days. He has been in an unconscious or semiconscious condition since being stricken and is unable to recognize his sons, according to information reaching here.

Mr. Scott is connected with the Crocker and other banks in San Francisco. He is a director of the Alameda National Bank and president of the Scott-Vanaredale Lumber Company here, besides being affiliated with many other businesses.

One time he was a trustee of Mills College and once he headed a chain of stores operated by the Southern Pacific Railroad nearly half a century ago. He is a trustee of the Alameda First Congregational Church.

Mr. Scott is 78 years of age.

POSTOFFICE BILL STILL UP IN HOUSE

Appropriation Measure to be Under Consideration Until Christmas Recess

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—While the Senate is giving its attention to the World Court, the House will continue consideration of the Treasury-Postoffice appropriation bill, during the two days remaining, before Congress quits Tuesday for the Christmas recess.

The $126,000,000 tax-reduction bill will be transmitted formally to the Senate tomorrow by the House, and referred to the Finance Committee, which will take it up January 4 with a view to reporting to the Senate by January 26.

The World Court debate is to be renewed tomorrow after the week-end recess of the Senate, with advocates of American adhesion to the tribunal delivering the principal addresses. Those who are to speak include Senator Pepper, Republican, Pennsylvania, and Walsh, Democrat, Montana.

REICHSTAG LEADER WOULD CURB LIQUOR

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—President Loebe of the Reichstag, one of Germany's greatest political leaders, came out today for partial prohibition in Germany. Taking a leaf out of the American book of experience, Loebe declared he did not want to see total prohibition, but laws which, while not prohibiting beer and wine, would make the consumption of strong alcoholic drinks impossible. He would also welcome total prohibition for minors.

ALMEIDA CONFIRMED AS MAYOR OF JUAREZ

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHIHUAHUA (Mex.) Dec. 20.—The State Legislature yesterday declared Alberto B. Almeida legally elected Mayor of Juarez, following a recount of the votes cast in the election of November 15. His election was contested by Marcos M. Flores, defeated candidate, who appealed to the Legislature. Almeida is a brother of Gov. Almeida of Chihuahua. Almeida will be inaugurated January 1.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN BETTER

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TOKIO, Dec. 21.—The condition of the Emperior, who became ill yesterday with fainting spells, was reported improved today. His physicians are observing their patient's condition closely.

DAVIS READY FOR FIGHT

Army Dissenters Face Trouble

War Secretary Prepares to Quash Disharmony in All Ranks

Hopeful Court-Martial of Mitchell Will Prove Salutory Example

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Secretary Davis is preparing to read the riot act to certain elements in the Army if the Mitchell court-martial verdict fails to make a sufficient impression on officers involved as a disciplinary object lesson. He is represented by officers familiar with his views as being determined to bring complete teamwork back to the whole service, even if drastic measures are necessary.

The exact nature of the internal conditions which have aroused his displeasure has not been disclosed. Now that the Mitchell case is out of the way, so far as its disciplinary reaction is concerned, the War Secretary sees no reason for further delay in bringing its significance home to any other branch of the service where there has been evidence of open disagreement, in the period of post-war reorganization and uncertainties, with settled departmental or national policies.

MANY POST-WAR TROUBLES

Davis is said to have been compelled to consider putting a check on the tendency in certain special services to be as free in combatting policies of this sort—some of them written into international treaties of the United States—as Col. Mitchell and his following have been in the United States Air Service crusade.

The war left many difficult reorganization problems in its wake. The immediate slashing of chemical warfare service activities to little more than research work is a case in point. Another is the struggle in the Quartermaster's Corps to get back functions which broke away during the war, such as the transportation service, the construction corps and the finance corps. All "except the finance corps, which continue as a virtually independent branch, now have been reabsorbed by the parent Quartermaster Corps, just as the war-time tank corps has been merged with the infantry for combat purposes.

HAS INSIDE DATA

In all of these absorptions, specialized groups of officers saw their independence disappearing, and in some cases they were accomplished only after disputes that have left factional scars not talked about publicity in army circles. Davis learned a lot about these inside frictions when he was Assistant Secretary, much more than ever would come directly to the knowledge of the Secretary, particularly with respect to the supply branch, as he was charged by law with responsibility for supply and industrial preparedness plans.

If is now said that, as Secretary, he is showing a disposition to use his inside information as a basis for settling internal rows that come before him. He also has insistently preached teamwork as an essential gospel in his many public addresses since he succeeded Secretary Weeks, drawing on his experience both as an athlete and a combat officer in France, to drive home his point. The significance of his remarks and of his action in recommending that Col. Mitchell be called to account before a court-martial has not been lost on the service.

Impeachment of Texas Governor Hinges on Cost

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Dec. 19.—Finding a way to pay fees of witnesses is the obstacle blocking calling of a special session of the Lower House of the Texas Legislature for an investigation of Gov. Ferguson's administration, Speaker Lee Satterwhite said tonight.

The speaker indicated that if this obstacle is removed he immediately will convoke the House in extraordinary session for impeachment purposes.

DEATH ENDS THIEF'S FLIGHT

Night Watchman, Escaping With $40,000 of Bank's Funds, Drops Dead in Taxicab

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Death from heart disease in a taxicab today ended the flight of Edward F. Keller with approximately $40,000 taken from the Corn Exchange National Bank, where he was employed as a watchman. Nearly $14,000 was in cash and the remainder in checks.

Keller, who, in October, 1924, was pardoned after having served a sentence for manslaughter in connection with Danny McNichol trunk-murder mystery of a decade ago, hailed a taxicab at a hotel today and asked to be driven to Broad and Wallace streets. He carried a suit case.

Arriving there, he alighted, taking the suitcase with him and, according to the chauffeur, tapped several times on the window of a house. Receiving no response, he again entered the taxicab, and ordered the driver to take him to

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THE BEST HOUSE

By Georgia Wood Pangborn

THE Christmas cookies in the plate on the sideboard smelt as if they were still warm. Aahia verified the smell with such big follows two would be enough. Still Christmas. I'll put in third. Don't tell me she didn't understand he was building that house for me. I'm glad I know." She listened more attentively.

"Would you put in three eggs? These are two. Moreover, they were of the sort that is far better than cold, not just ordinary ginger warm than cold, not just ordinary ginger cookies, but breathing of every kind of

matter of breakfast table discussion between them. There was something [illegible] thrilliantly about the word, "home." Aahia knew to be as

The Khan's hand closed down stern and hard on those arms.

light crash of something breaking. With horror Aahia saw a red chimney bounce off into a pile of shavings.

"Damn!" said the lady, and stopped purring while she picked up the house. But she set it carelessly askew upon its foundations, never seeming to miss the chimney. Then she moved away, examining other things about the shop, once more singing to herself so sweetly that no one would ever know lovely and affable nor how sweetly she sang, was not—could never be—a dear. Aahia could not say how she knew, but she was not in doubt. Moreover, she was seeing about. For some reason she was charmed. Alice—for some reason the furry person's beauty seemed less important than it had done at first sight.

"I wonder," said Miss Burnfield softly, smiling at the picture with half-shut eyes,

PUSH MITCHELL FOR POLICE JOB

Suggested as Commissioner of New York Force

Representative Bloom Puts Matter to Walker

Assures Congress Will Pass Necessary Legislation

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20. — Appointment of Col. William Mitchell, under sentence of five years' suspension from his army rank, pay and duties, as Police Commissioner of New York City, was proposed today to Mayor-elect Walker by Representative Bloom, Democrat, New York.

If the former assistant chief of the Army Asir Service was acceptable for the post, Representative Bloom told Mr. Walker he had no doubt Congress will enact any legislation necessary to make the appointment possible.

Col. Mitchell, whose sentence remains to be passed upon by the War Department and President Coolidge, has not been approached on the proposal. He is out of the city after his long confinement to the Distrit of Columbia during the court-martial trial which ended in his conviction of charges of misconduct "to the prejudice of good order and military discipline."

Mayor-elect Walker, who takes office January 1, has not announced the personnel of his administration. The message sent to him today by Representative Bloom, read:

"The name of Col. William Mitchell is presented to you for the office of Police Commissioner of New York City. If he should meet your approval, I have no doubt that legislative authority could be enacted here permitting his employment by the City of New York. I believe this would be an eminently fitting appointment and give our city an able executive who has in war and peace shown himself to be a fearless and able man at every difficult task that has come to his hands."

SHENANDOAH COURT FACES COLONEL TODAY

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Col. William Mitchell, his army court-martial trial concluded is under summons to face another military court tomorrow, the naval court of inquiry into the Shenandoah disaster, which desires to obtain from him any light he can throw upon the incident.

Col. Mitchell has accepted summons to appear before the court, which is convening after a recess of nearly four weeks to hear him, but whether he will agree to testify was a question which went unanswered tonight.

Once before, on October 5, he appeared before the Shenandoah court under summons, but declined to testify upon advice of his counsel on the ground that it would be inconsistent with his legal rights and might prejudice his case in the court-martial proceedings then pending.

ATTITUDE UNCERTAIN

His refusal to testify at that time was duly reported by the naval court through Secretary Wilbur of the Navy Department, but if he should reiterate tomorrow his refusal to testify, the court, through its judge-advocate, Maj. Henry Leonard, is expected to certify him to the District Attorney for action in contempt.

Col. Mitchell has been summoned to appear at the instance of Maj. Leonard, who desires to inquire into his published and reiterated charges that the Navy was guilty of criminal negligence in connection with the Shenandoah, that he understood the ship was about 50 per cent overweight, that it carried an antifreezing mixture which had a corrosive effect on its framework and that the navy court appointed to inquire into the disaster was a whitewash court.

It is the position of the judge-advocate that the court should have all possible matters bearing upon the Shenandoah disaster placed before it to aid it in reaching sound conclusions, and that it manifestly is his duty to interrogate Col. Mitchell concerning the assertions he has made relating to the ship.

OTHERS TO BE CALLED

Aside from hearing Col. Mitchell, the court is expected to receive two reports on technical questions of design and construction of the Shenandoah, and then hear the final arguments by counsel for the various interested parties in the proceedings, after which it will draw up its report.

Among those expected to make final arguments are Maj. Leonard and Lieutenant Commander Charles E. Rosendahl, survivors of the Shenandoah; Lieut. George V. Whittle, commandant of the naval air station at Lakehurst; Prof. William Hovgaard of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, technical adviser to the judge-advocate, and Lieutenant Commander Sydney M. Kraus for the navy bureau of aeronautics.

MASONS PLAN HOME

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 20.—Through a movement initiated by the Colorado Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, this State is to have a Masonic and Eastern Star home for aged. Definite action was taken at a recent meeting of the Grand Chapter and $5000 was donated to start the fund.

D. C. HEGER
Men's Apparel to Order
407 West 7th St.
Christmas Gifts
FOR MEN
SHIRTS
PAJAMAS
ROBES
HANDKERCHIEFS
NECKWEAR
CANES

French Make Heroic Stand Against Druse Hordes

[P. & A. Photo]

Scene of Four-Day Epic Battle

The courtyard of the Citadel of Rachaya, in Syria, on the morning it was relieved, is shown in the above really remarkable photo. It was a veritable charnel house, as the bodies of dozens of dead horses testify. Two hundred and fifty French troops held Rachaya against the attacks of about 2000 Druses for four days until they were finally relieved.

EGYPT'S ARTISTS REVEAL DARING

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jewels and wood, conforming as the priests wished to the ancient traditions, but keeping before them Akhnaton's ideal of truth.

The golden coffins, which are declared to be supreme masterpieces, I have not seen, but I have examined scores of representations of the King on objects from the tomb, and while the work varies in merit, it is all good, and, at its best, supreme.

That same haunting note of wistful pathos about the boy which Prof. Maspero saw, those same traits that led him to divine Tut-Ankh-Amen's malady from those Karnak statues years before the tomb was discovered, recur again and again.

Everyone remembers those much-photographed guardian statues that stood one on either side of the sealed doorway in the antechamber. They are now in the museum here, properly placed, so that you can walk around them. They are gems of sculpture, never yet photographed in a position to show off their high merits.

BEST PORTRAIT OF TUT

Best of all the portraits of Tut, however, is a little wooden statue not eight inches high, which is of an appealing, tragic pathos. It will become famous; but no photograph of it has been or can be published while the ignoble wrangle about "rights" goes on, and a guard stands beside the case to seize any camera of confiscaet any not book in which a visitor might even attempt to sketch this masterpiece. For the matter of that, no object from the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen can be photographed or sketched.

Tut, like every Pharaoh, had to have his ceremonial war-chariots. His two, covered with thin sheets of gold with jeweled shafts, are probably the most magnificent ever made for any monarch, since never before or since, so far as is known, did the arts of the goldsmith and jeweler reach such heights. And Tut, driving through the streets of brilliant Thebes, must have seemed in very truth to his subjects what the state religion declared him to be, the actual child of Amon-Re, the god of the sun.

KING'S FACE WISTFUL

But even in those chariots, covered like those of his predecessors who had warred in Asia and Nubia with gold carvings of bound and prostrate Syrian and negro enemies, the artists, when they came to depict the Pharaoh himself, were too faithful to their ideal of truth to make him a conqueror like his ancestors the great Thutmose and Amenhoteps.

They were depicted on their chariots slaying and trampling their enemies, as they did. This is known from a fragment of the chariot of Thutmose IV that has survived. So his goldsmiths must show Tut in the form of a sphinx treading down heaps of foes.

You may see sphinxes with Tut's head doing all this, on his chariots. But if Maspero could read in the Karnak features of those statues the boy's deadly disease, anyone can see in the heads on those gold sphinxes that are artist knew that this Pharaoh would never lead an army in battle. Gentle, wistful, charming, tired and suffering boyhood, not the stern warrior-faces called for by the subject, are depicted.

TRUE STORY ON FAN

Turn from the great gold chariots to a scene that shows a real exploit of Tut's—his ostrich-hunt in the eastern deserts of Heliopolis, as the account of his feat engraved on the solid-gold handle of a long fan of ostrich feathers explains. Here is a true story, and you see how Akhnaton's artist delighted in it, and how he enchanted that little expedition thousands of years ago by the magic of his art so that, forgotten for thirty centuries, it will never be forgotten again.

You see the boy king, a mere lad, in his chariot. His age cannot be more than 13 or 14. In studying the vast mass of pictorial representations from this tomb, it is easy to date them roughly as the small boy of the beginning grows into a youth and then a young man at the close. This fan is an early piece, perhaps made in the first or second year of the reign. Tut is drawing his bow against an ostrich, he has already let fly at one bird which, wounded, turns on the royal horses. The King's lips are set in the excitement and determination of the moment, but in his face even here that wistful, foredoomed look has been represented by the goldsmith—a boy who had not many years to live.

On the other side, the King rides back in triumph, carrying under his arms the tail feathers of the ostriches he has slain. Before him walk two attendants, each carrying a dead ostrich. This fan was the trophy of the hunt; you can still see the stumps of the feathers, the very feathers, the inscription makes clear, from those two birds which the King shot that day near Heliopolis in 1356 B. C., or a year or two before or after.

BRIAND GIVES FRENCH POLICY

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night considering not only the offers of the northern industrialists but also measures for necessary taxation which are now being elaborated by Finance Minister Doumer.

Preliminary calculations place the physical wealth of the department of the north's industrial region at more than 100,000,000,000 francs, about half of which is represented by new construction since the war. One group of twenty industries, it is reported, has received more than 25,000,000,000 francs from funds paid out of reparations for the purpose of bringing the manufacturing standard of the district to a par with any other, in Europe or elsewhere.

PUBLIC FANCY WON

That the big movement is threatened with political sabotage is obvious. It is evident that the metallurgical industries of Alsace-Lorraine are not taking kindly to the generalisation idea, the Socialists in the Chamber are wavering whether to support or to fight what seems a serious blow to their policy to socialize industries and also their financial policy to impose a levy on capital. On the other hand, the idea has caught the popular fancy and already has done much to restore the badly shaken confidence in the franc.

The rapid rise of the franc on the exchange caught many speculators short and they are now facing ruin. Foreign securities dropped on the Bourse as the franc rose. French rentes also were higher. Political and financial opposition to industrial aid has therefore resolved to discredit it.

M. Deumer today gave the outline of four of his financial projects, which he hopes to present to the Chamber of Deputies Tuesday.

(1.) A better method of collecting the tax on the benefit derived from capital, such as on property and bonds, which is expected to produce 1,000,000,000 francs. ($40,000,000.)

(2.) A plan to produce 2,000,000,000 francs ($80,000,000) to 3,000,000,000 francs ($120,000,000) by a double tax on business transactions.

(3.) A higher duty on all imports and exports.

(4.) An increase in the price of tobacco and cigarettes.

SNOW SWEEPS MIDDLE WEST

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heavy snowfall in the west end of the State.

IOWA SERVICES HAMPERED BY SNOW

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Dec. 20.—Transportation and communication lines were badly hampered by heavy snow, wind and zero weather which swept all parts of Iowa today and was continuing tonight. Six inches of snow at Council Bluffs was the heaviest fall reported.

On the eve of the blizzard, Prof. A. C. Thomas of the department of geology at Iowa University predicted that if the excessive snowfalls of the last three months continue through January and February, Iowa farmers may expect a bumper crop of hay, oats and other grains next year.

DEATH CHECKS THIEF'S FLIGHT

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tified as to how he got the money.

Keller was convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of McNichol, whose body was found in a trunk buried in the cellar of an old building where Keller had operated a laundry in March, 1914. He was sentenced to the Eastern Penitentiary for ten to twelve years, but was pardoned a year ago. Robbery was supposed to have been the motive for the slaying of McNichol, who was a nephew of the late State Senator James P. McNichol of this city.

ONE DIES, MANY HURT, IN STILL EXPLOSIONS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Several explosions today of liquor stills in an East River waterfront warehouse spread flames throughout the five-story structure, shook adjoining buildings and caused probably fatal burns to one man and severe injuries to another.

ASSAULTS OF DRUSES REPULSED

Tribesmen Lose Heavily in Night Attack on Fort Keseler, Held by French

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

DAMASCUS (Syria) Dec. 20.—In a torrential rain the rebels attacked Fort Keseler, near Hasbelya, Friday night. They were repulsed by the French with heavy losses.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

BEIRUT (Syria) Dec. 20.—The withdrawal of the French troops from the Mt. Hermon district of Damascus gave the Druse tribesmen an opportunity to invade Labandon. They also attacked Hasbelya, where fighting continues.

The Italian Consul has been advised of the arrival here Monday of a cruiser and four destroyers.

STEAL RECORDS IN LIQUOR QUIZ

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trial of Jules R. Venice, former chef at the Hotel Mayflower, and Rinardo Biasi, a waiter, both of whom were acquitted of conspiracy charges a few days ago. Assistant Secretary Andrews, the prohibition field marshal for the Treasury, had not been informed of the incident.

Mr. Wheeler, however, was acquainted with the disappearance of the records and in his statement, replying to Mr. Gallivan, inquired why it had not attracted the attention of the House member, whose speech yesterday was regarded generally as one of the most vigorous assaults against prohibition that has been delivered in some months. Mr. Haynes declined to divulge any information he had on the case, and James E. Jones, recently named by Mr. Andrews as prohibition director, was absent from the city. Mr. Wheeler, however, said suspicion had attached to one or two persons, but he declined to identify them.

Mr. Haynes said the records were supposed to be in their regular place in metal-encased files until they were requested by attorneys preparing for the prosecution of Venice and Biasi. An investigation apparently has failed to solve the mystery, although Elmer Lirey, chief of the intelligence unit of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, said he was not notified of the inquiry until questioned relative to the case.

The records included reports of the agents, B. C. Birgfeld and Col. A. M. Early, who planned the Mayflower Hotel trap from which developed the charge against Venice and Biasi. Other confidential papers bearing on the case were lost. The nature of these has not been disclosed, except that among the file were duplicates of the expense accounts for the now famous Mayflower dinner. The dinner cost the government $963 for liquor and entertainment and precipitated Mr. Gallivan's attack.

In connection with the expense accounts, which showed among other items the purchase of liquor for evidence, Mr. Wheeler called attention to the provision in the pending Treasury-Postoffice appropriation bill for $250,000 to be used in liquor purchases by agents in the next fiscal year. This is needed, he held, because of the requirement making sales necessary for evidence, whereas if the Volstead Act should be amended to permit conviction for manufacture in private homes, he felt the full amount estimated would not be required.

Mr. Wheeler denied that any one from the Anti-Saloon League ever threatened to defeat Mr. Gallivan if he made a wet speech.

Representative Berger, who has introduced a bill to legalize 4 per cent beer and 12 per cent wine, declared that lawmakers who understand human nature should not be hypocrites.

"They should not permit fanatics and the Anti-Saloon League," he said, "to create a situation in which drunkenness is more general than ever, and through which respect for the law has become a national menace.

"Prohibitionists now compel the secret drinking of alcoholic poison, because they cannot prevent that; but they can prevent and do prevent the use of wine and beer. To promote temperance and to remove the great evils to which their fanaticism has given rise, prohibitionists should join in obtaining repeal of the Volstead Act along the lines I have indicated."

ARIZONA PRESS RAILS AT HUNT

Swing-Johnson Bill Also Gets Basting

Highline Said Only Plan of Value to Land

But Editors Recognize Its Cost Prohibitive

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PHOENIX, Dec. 20.—The Colorado River situation is taking up much of the editorial space of Arizona newspapers nowadays. A number, especially among the few that are included within the State administration circle, carry along the administration policy of throwing suspicion upon Southern California's attitude, and echo administration declarations that construction of the Boulder Canyon Dam would ruin Arizona, to the corresponding benefit of Mexican lands, with occasional echo of last campaign's "Asiatic menace."

However, there appears to be general appreciation of the idea that any irrigation in Arizona in excess of the acreage figures given by the Reclamation Service will have to be by means of the proposed highline canal, considered visionary in the extreme and, if practicable at all, to involve a cost far in excess of the value of any lands that from it might be reclaimed.

It has been suggested in the administration press that the highline canal be conjoined with the Los Angeles aqueduct plans, a proposal first made by G. H. Maxwell and lately repeated by Engineer E. C. La Rue. While this financing of the Arizona highline by Los Angeles appears attractive, there remains bitterness in the attitude of the administration supporters toward Southern California as a whole.

WESTWARD PRIORITIES

There is disinclination to allow present irregation priorities west of the river to be considered in the attempted division of the water of the stream between California and Arizona and favor is shown toward a demand that no further priorities shall accrue to the westward till Arizona, at some time in the distant future, shall have absorbed all the water she may claim—presumably through operation of the highline, for the gravity lands within the State are understood to have a gross area of less than 500,000 acres. The highline claim is 2,500,000 acres, but admit that this estimate is largely guesswork.

Suggestion that the dam on the Colorado be located by competent engineers, appointed by the President, is received with apprehension by the Phoenix Gazette (administration Democratic,) which declares that "most of the prominent engineers familiar with big dam construction are either associated with the government Reclamation Service or some big power company. Those who reside in the Southwest have natural leanings toward their State interests." Inasmuch as the Cabinet of the President contains members from Colorado and California, the editor concludes, "We would dislike to trust our entire future with the groups of engineers he would naturally select." Of course, the Gazette dislikes the Boulder Canyon damsite, but it also sees utterior motives in the Swing-Johnson bill, which is declared "nothing short of a gigantic attempt to steal all that which is most valuable to the Baby State."

With slight regard to political affiliation, the press of the State also generally sees an Ethiopian in the Swing-Johnson woodpile, but couples denunciation of Gov. Hunt with any remarks that may be made on the subject. The Prescott Courier (Democratic) finds that the Governor has become very successful in riding two horses, galloping in opposite directions, and calls him "a political acrobat, whose acts never are wrecked, though sometimes crabbed." The same paper expresses belief that "Nevadans and Californians can gain nothing by meeting the representatives of the Governor, unless they are positive the members of the Legislature will uphold whatever conclusions that may be reached. It must not be forgotten that the delegates at Phoenix no more represent the sentiment of the two States which sent them than the wild-eyed dreamers who want Arizona to take all the Colorado's benefits are representative of this good State."

REPUBLICAN'S VIEW

The Phoenix Republican states: "So far as Arizona is concerned, and that is true also of Nevada, it could not now, or for many years to come, not within the present generation, develop the river alone if given a free hand by the other interested States and the United States. All talk of the independent position of Arizona is bombastic bunk. There should be divorced from the conference such questions as the Swing-Johnson bill and pet plans of Arizonians concerning whose feasibility there is at least serious doubt." The editor believes the California suggestions of division of water and power are unacceptable. With expressions of belief that the lower-basin States yet will find a common ground, the Republican declares: "The original Swing-Johnson bill never was received with great favor," and speaks of "developments in the Colorado situation that turned western sentiment against the Swing-Johnson bill." It states: "The new Swing-Johnson bill will contain all the peril for the northern States that the former one held." Resentment is expressed by the journal over Swing's declaration that Arizona is to be ignored in the proposed legislation, with addition, "It would be interesting to know what encouragement Mr. Swing has been given from any source that enables him to 'make it clear' with so much cocksureness."

Along the same line, the Tucson Star (Democratic) says: "If Representative Swing, coauthor of the Swing-Johnson bill, and his California friends, think they can persuade Congress to pass a six-State pact for the development of the Colorado River, leaving Arizona out because she has refused to sign the Santa Fe pact or because she has declined to agree to an unfair distribution of water and power rights—they are due for a rude awakening." The editor sees hope in the proposals lately made by California, stating, "aside from the distribution of water, in which a big concession has been made, the fact that California is willing to recognize the right of Arizona to be paid for the utilization of her resources" is encouraging. The Bisbee Review (Democratic) doubts "if Representative Swing expected his threat of a six-State compact would frighten Arizona into acceptance of the original Colorado River compact." The same paper concludes that "the Colorado River has its source in the State of controversy, runs through the State of litigation and empties in the State of uncertainty."

USE STATES AS PAWNS

Dunbar's Weekly (Democratic) says: "Swing knows just as well as anyone that the Swing-Johnson bill cannot pass Congress, and he is perfectly aware that if it did no dam could be constructed by the Federal government or other agency, public or private, at Boulder Canyon or any other damsite on the lower basin without the consent of Arizona. California has its Congressman Swing and Arizona has its Gov. Hunt. The attitude of each man, as it affects the development of the Colorado and the welfare of his respective State, is identical. Let the Swing-Johnson bill be defeated and Swing has nothing further to offer his people, nothing with which to bolster up his pretensions. Then Arizona has Gov. Hunt, who realises full well that, as long as he can point out the banditry of Phil Swing and California and pose as the protector of Arizona from California's thievery, he has a leverage to again hoist himself into the Governor's office. . . . As long as California and Arizona can be used as pawns in a political game for the personal benefit of two men, as long as the people of the sister States can be beguiled into believing that their neighbor is endeavoring to rob them, just so long will these two selfish politicians be enabled to perpetuate themselves in office." The weekly declares that "Hi-line" clubs now forming in Arizona really are Hunt-for-Governor clubs, for a re-election of "our perpetual Governor."

According to the Tucson Citizen (Republican,) "The executive is astride the neck of the river, with feet locked around it, 'pulling leather' for all he's worth. He sums up every obstacle to river development, which will remain a purely academic expression till he is removed therefrom. We know it, you know it, he knows it, everyone knows it."

PEOPLE GROWING RESTLESS

The Phoenix Messenger (Democratic) seems to consider Hunt in the light of someone who is monopolising a party telephone line, observing, "After three years of delay in river development, the people are growing restless and the obstacle will either move out of the way or be removed to realms of oblivion. This group of cheap politicians has been holding the line and retarding progress too long already. Opportunists must get of the wire. . . . The Arizona public is becoming sick at the stomach over the long-continued yap over the necessity of conserving the rights of posterity, much of the aforesaid yap coming from sources that remind one of the mule, with much bray, with no pride of ancestry and no hope of posterity." Yet the simile may not be a good one, for the mule will work if he be driven to it. . . . We have abandoned all hope to find sense within this opposition. Now we can only speculate at times on how the opposition is being financed."

At Douglas, the Dispatch (Republican) says that much of Arizona's progress depends upon a settlement of the river problem, adding, "The program that has been conducted by the obstructionist policies of Gov. Hunt seemingly is bringing a backwash of criticism from all classes of people." But the paper believes that assurance of Arizona rights "precludes any sanction on the part of this State of the Swing-Johnson bill as it is now written."

SEES BOND FAILURE

Referring to the highline scheme, the Clifton Era (Democratic) asks: "Where does the State expect to get the money to finance the development of the Colorado? And, while we are on the subject, let us bear in mind that the State means you and we who pay taxes. The answer is, of course, by voting bonds. The day of the bond election will be the end of any proposition looking toward State ownership and State operated dams on the Colorado. The taxpayers are in no mood now to talk about increasing their indebtedness for any purpose."

The Nogales Herald (Republican) avers that, "Gov. Hunt is fiddling around too much with carrying water on both shoulders, and some day, if he incenses the Arizona press too much, he is going to be tripped up and lose both water bags."

At Jerome, the News (Republican,) considering the river compact "as dead as the traditional doornail," expresses hope that the question be placed where it belongs, with a board of engineers adding, "we can keep on playing politics from now until judgment day—and be no nearer a solution than we are at this moment," this while the river power so urgently is needed in Arizona industry.

A cowboy simile also has been taken by the Flagstaff Sun (Republican,) which expresses belief that "there has been a big letdown since Statehood and the State has been turned over to a lot of leather-pulling politicians. It looks as though the time had come to buck up and buck out from under our saddle galls and attempt at least to redeem the good name Arizona had at one time throughout the East."

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Dr. Robert A. Millikan, world-famed scientist, has an interesting article on the advance in science in the last forty years in the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1.

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ITALY DREAMS OF NEW EMPIRE

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and protectorate of Italy and have an area of [illegible] miles. Italy [illegible] Tripolitania and Cyrenaica, north coast of Africa, with an area of 350,000 square miles.

In the war with Turkey Italy secured a protectorate in the Aegean Sea and brought further [illegible] of Southern Tyrol, Istria and Fiume.

The first Roman Emperor Augustus (Octavius Caesar) died in the year 14 A.D.

The House of Savoy is the present reigning dynasty.

Recently several reforms were enacted by the Italian Parliament, which limited Premier Mussolini's power virtually without the approval, pending or subsequent of the King. The royal decrees would enable the government to carry out acts of state without legislation.

In a speech not long since Mussolini indicated that the usual would happen and did not reveal the next.

DATE SET FOR TRIAL IN LODI [illegible]

[illegible]

STOCKTON, Dec. 20.—[illegible] in the murder trial of [illegible] Lodi farmer [illegible] for the asserted [illegible] Bianchi, his neighbor, [illegible] discharged by Judge [illegible] being deadlocked, [illegible] discharging the jury [illegible] fixed February 15. [illegible] date for a second trial [illegible] officially reported [illegible] stood 10 to 2 for [illegible]

RANGERS [illegible]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

HOLLISTER, Dec. [illegible] rangers are searching [illegible] ofras several miles [illegible] Valley for Harry [illegible] years of age, [illegible] pupil, who became [illegible] ard while hunting [illegible] day.

Daily Style Hint For Well Dressed Men
Los Angeles
LOS ANGELES [illegible] House slippers, [illegible] house slippers? [illegible] suggestion for [illegible] a boy. The [illegible] beautiful—good [illegible] the radio to [illegible] home nights. [illegible] course, suggest a [illegible] robe.
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A GIFT of slippers a thoughtful gift that will give the [illegible] many hours of real comfort.
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C. W. Goodwin, A[illegible]

Los Angeles Daily Times.

CUSTOMS UNIT CHANGE FOUGHT

Plan to Increase Dry Law Activity Opposed

Congressmen Object to Reorganization

Andrews Says First Duty Rum Clean-Up

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Opposition to the sweeping reorganization of the customs service contemplated by Brig.-Gen. Andrews, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, in charge of prohibition, is expected to develop when the House resumes its consideration of the 1927 appropriation bill tomorrow. The house-cleaning, the general told the Appropriations Committee, will hit all along the line, beginning with the Washington headquarters of the service.

But, it was pointed out today, there are those in Congress who believe that the customs service is performing splendidly in its primary function—the collection of import duties and the enforcement of tariff laws—and that Gen. Andrews in his zeal for liquor-law enforcement, is making important governmental activities subordinate to prohibition.

ESCAPE CHARGES

Thus far, because prohibition has been somewhat of a secondary consideration in its routine of duty, the customs service has escaped the charges of widespread corruption which have been lodged against the prohibition unit and the Coast Guard, the critics assert. Now, under Gen. Andrews's new plan the customs service is to be brought to the front of the fight as the second line of defense against rum-running.

"However, the close co-operation which I was able to establish between the Coast Guard activities," declared Gen. Andrews, explaining the proposed shake-up to the committee, "by making the Coast Guard responsible as a first line to stop liquor smuggling—with the prohibition unit itself, has given good results. Thus much closer co-operation has been very beneficial to law enforcement.

CENTERS ON RUM

"I feel my duties here in Washington, the crying thing for which I was brought here, are to bring about prohibition law enforcement and to interest myself with that.

"That is my first job, and that has so absorbed my time and energies that I have not been able to turn to customs, as I hope to do within a few weeks and give that particular attention."

"My thought as to the policy and my determination in the end," continued Gen. Andrews, "were this—the Federal forces should make their main objective and should concentrate their energies toward breaking up of the commercialized liquor traffic. That means trying to wipe out the sources of supply for the bootleg industry, whatever they be, and the men who carry on the industry."

Richardson Tries Economy Camera

Doubling Up on the Governor

CHIEF PRACTICES PREACHING

State's Executive Head Faces Invention Taking Two Photographs at One Time

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—Economy of the latest brand to be tried out at San Quentin Prison was put to a test by Gov. Richardson, economy exponent de luxe, on a recent visit to the penitentiary. In other words, the Executive had his picture taken with an economy camera, invented by K. T. Pietrzak, secretary to Warden Smith, which produces two pictures at one time.

With the aid of a mirror arrangement the camera turns out a front and side view of a person in one operation. It is essential for criminal identification purposes to have both views of a subject.

When Gov. Richardson was "mugged" with the two-in-one camera he was wearing on the lapel of his coat his favorite and lucky No. 7. The Governor uses No. 7 whenever and wherever he has a chance. His private automobile has license No. 7 and it is seven years old. It is the one in which he made his economy campaign in 1922. The Governor's office in the Capitol also is No. 7.

Chile Delegate Returns Home for Instruction

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

SANTIAGO (Chile) Dec. 20.—Explaining the return from Arica of Augustin Edwards, head of the Chilean delegation to the plebiscitary commission, the government today issued the following communique:

"The government has called the Chilean delegate to the plebiscitary commission to come to Santiago in order that he may get into immediate contact with the new administration and to determine authoritatively the line to be followed at Arica.

"The government had in mind the necessity of the President-elect, who assumes his duties three days hence, having, as soon as possible, a complete impression of the plebiscitary situation and the latest developments.

"It is to Chile's interest that the suspension of activities caused by the appeal shall take only the time strictly necessary for the new government to grasp the situation and to demand its future action."

Manufacturer Gives Business to Employees

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Because he has made all the money he wants, Morris Rosenwasser, 55 years of age, shoe manufacturer, announced today that he will turn his $500,000-a-year business to fifty employees January 1.

"My success is due to the loyalty and co-operation of my employees, especially my chief subordinates," Rosenwasser said. "I want to reward those who have helped me."

Rosenwasser came here from Poland when he was 17 years of age. The next year he went into business with a brother and later became sole owner of the $4,000,000 industry which employes 180 men.

Tokio Chinese Protest Japan's Hand in Mukden

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TOKIO, Dec. 21.—Fighting between rival Chinese leaders for the control of Manchuria was reported in progress today at Sinminfu.

Several hundred Chinese students in Tokio held a mass meeting Sunday and passed resolutions against the action of Japan in sending reinforcements to Mukden, the principal city of Manchuria.

The students paraded to the headquarters of the Foreign Office and other government quarters and presented the resolutions.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 20.—Philip Cameron, a veteran of the Civil War, passed away at the home of his daughter in North First street following a short illness. Mr. Cameron was a native of Canada. He came to the United States to join the Union forces of the Civil War. He resided in Santa Clara county for more than forty-six years, and held membership in the Col. Bennett Post, No. 196, of San Jose.

FINED FOR KILLING FOX

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

GIDDLINGS (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Floyd Irwin, residing on the Yegua, sixteen miles from Giddings, reports that the foxes had been so bad that it is next to impossible to raise chickens or turkeys in that section. Recently he killed a fox in his yard and was promptly arrested by a game warden and had to pay a fine of nearly $20 for killing a fox out of season.

ZOO EXPEDITION MAPS TRIP

San Diego Society Starts Second Party to South American Jungles Early in 1926

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 20.—Early in 1926 the San Diego Zoological Society will send its second expedition in search of new and interesting animals to supplement the large display of beasts and birds at present housed in the Balboa Park plant of the zoo. Richard A. Addison, collector and secretary of the society, will head the expedition, which will have as its objective the jungle of South America.

According to present plans, Addison and his party will leave here some time before January 15, sailing down the west coast to Callao, Peru, the seaport of Lima. Several calls will be made en route, including Mexico and Nicaragua, and a stop of several days will be made in the Canal Zone, with two others in Northern South America. Short excursions into near-by regions will be made at these places to study the native Fauna. At Lima, after an extensive investigation of the biological and zoological sections of Peru's famous University of Medical Science, the expedition will cross the Andes and follow the Amazon River to its mouth on the west coast for the purpose of studying the animals native to this river district. At Para, Brazil, a visit will be made to the museum. Goeldi, and notes taken on methods of maintaining the zoo there. The party probably will return to the United States by way of Jamaica in the Carribean Sea, and land either in New Orleans or Galveston.

COOLIDGES CRUISE ON MAYFLOWER

President Discusses Farm Aid, Disarmament With Senator McNary and King

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—President and Mrs. Coolidge, after attending services today at First Congregational Church, boarded the Mayflower for an overnight cruise down the Potomac. They were accompanied by their son, John, who is home from Amherst College for the holidays.

Guests included Senator and Mrs. McNary of Oregon; Senator and Mrs. King of Utah; R. B. Creager, Republican National Committeeman from Texas; John Callon O'Loughlin, publisher of the Army and Navy Journal, and Miss Mary Pollard, a cousin of the President, who is a teacher here.

Presence on the yacht of Senators McNary and King afforded the Executive an opportunity to discuss with them two of the issues uppermost in his mind—the farm problem and disarmament. Senator McNary has taken a lead in mapping out a farm relief legislative program. Senator King, a Democrat, has been one of the leading advocates of further disarmament and of American adherence to the World Court.

SCHOOLS IN NEVADA SHOW GREAT GAINS

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 20.—Considerable progress has been made in Nevada's public schools during the past ten years, recent statistics revealed. One of the most marked was the advance in the average salary paid to teachers from $888 in 1914 to $1434 in 1924, an increase of 61.5 per cent. The total school enrollment jumped 24.6 per cent, and all schools in the State were actually in session for an average of 159 days during last year.

TO TAKE $175 IN BREAD

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CENTRAL CITY (Ky.) Dec. 20. Lewis Adams, an automobile man, the other day received a used touring car on the sale of another. His partner, W. A. Steen, asked him what he intended doing with the used machine, and Adams replied he was going to sell it for $175. Steen remarked if he did he (Steen) would give him a new suit and a hat. Adams disposed of the used car to a bakery in negotiations which ended by Adams agreeing to accept the entire $175 in bread.

SILVER LAKE ROAD PROJECT UP TODAY

COUNCILMEN OPPOSING PLAN WILL GIVE COUNCIL MORE FACTS

The recommendation of the Council committee of the whole that the Silver Lake Boulevard project, as favored by the old Council, be pursued, will come before the Council today in regular order of business, when three opponents of the plan, Councilmen Barnes, Hall and Jacobson, will present additional facts to that body.

The committee of the whole meeting last Friday afternoon heard various interested persons and organizations, many of whom opposed the plan to separate the grades where the boulevard crosses Temple street. The hearing was concerned with the method of handling the traffic in the vicinity of Temple street, Beverly Boulevard and Virgil avenue, and does not affect the remainder of the project.

The committee voted Friday, eleven to three, to recommend the grade-separation plan. While the line-up probably will be different today when the ordinance of intention is finally voted upon, it is believed that the scheme proposed last year to the old Council will be adopted.

POLICE SEARCH FOR MISSING DIVORCEE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Police were asked today to search for Mrs. Hazel A. Selby, former wife of Walter J. Selby, candy manufacturer. Mrs. Selby left her home Friday, wearing valuable jewelry. She was last seen in her automobile Saturday, the police said, venturing the opinion that robbery may have been the motive behind her disappearance.

QUEEN MOTHER IMPROVES

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

BORDIGIERA (Italy) Dec. 20.—The condition of Queen Mother Margharita showed improvement today. The official bulletin gives the maximum temperature at 100.4 and the minimum, 99.8. The pleural affection is subsiding.

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SCIENCE FIGHTS COOP PARASITES

Airplanes and Insects Both Used as Weapons

American Association to Meet in Kansas City

Experts to Discuss Problems of Profession

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 20.—Science in its war upon destructive insects is using poison-laden airplanes, acids and even parasites. These and many other scientific subjects will be discussed in papers before entomological societies meeting with the American Association for the Advancement of Science which opens here the 28th inst., and will continue to January 2, 1926.

Armies of parasites, mustered in the fields last season, are battling to save America's corn crops. J. H. Bigger and W. P. Flint of the Illinois State Natural History Survey, explain the parasites were sent out to check the ravages of the European corn borer.

The two entomologists, however, do not feel that America can depend on parasites alone to control the insect which has made marked progress westward in the lower peninsula of Michigan and southward from the lake in Ohio.

Wireworms, larvae of snapping or "skipping jacks," which also have continued their raids on germinating corn, despite the chemical warfare of scientists, can not attack when the seed is soaked in mercurio acid, is the discovery of F. A. Fenton of Florence, S. C.

Swooping low at eighty-five miles an hour, airplanes loaded with arsenate of lead, dusted 1000 acres of peach orchards in Georgia this year and the fruit so treated was equal to that of orchards dusted in the usual manner. The results should be accepted tentatively, says Oliver I. Snapp of Fort Valley, as experimentation has not yet gone far enough to establish fully the desirability of the new method.

A queen bee can be fooled with substitutes. Deprived of her daily ration of pollen, she will accept finely ground rye, wheat, oats, corn or buckwheat and go ahead with her job of laying eggs and ruling the hive. But the larvae (baby bees,) if deprived of pollen, will die.

Ralph L. Parker, apiarist of the Kansas State Agricultural College, asserts that during the first two days of larval life, the infant bees partake liberally of royal jelly, which he describes as a concentrated food of a predigested nature secreted by the younger worker bees.

"For the remainder of the larval life," says Mr. Parker, "undigested pollen is mixed with the food derived from a secretion."

MEXICAN STUDENTS TO BE ENTERTAINED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Mexican students of San Antonio schools who will not return to their homes in Mexico for the Christmas holidays will be entertained with a dinner, the 23rd inst., by the Mexican bureau and trade extension department of the local Chamber of Commerce, it was announced by C. C. Wolfe, secretary of the department.

KILLED 700 RABBITS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OWINGSVILLE (Ky.) Dec. 20. Bath county lays claim to having the champion rabbit killer of the State unless the record established by William B. Boyd is beaten. Mr. Boyd has long been known as the best rabbit shot in the county, but this year he has so outdone his own record that his friends have proclaimed him the State champion. In seven days of hunting he killed 700.

FASCISM HELD STRIKE REMEDY

Rossini Says Capital and Labor Issue Solved

Economic Program Called Industrial Panacea

Syndicalist Declares Fact Justifies Revolution

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ROME, Dec. 20.—By the economic laws which have been adopted by the Chamber of Deputies recently, Fascism solves for Italy vital problems which other countries, even the United States, are finding insoluble. The questions of capital and labor and strikes and lockouts, which are costing the world untold millions, will not exist longer in Italy after the economic program of the "Fascist revolution" has been put into operation. This fact alone, which promotes prosperity, and the public order, justifies the revolution that has been taking place in Italy since the march on Rome in October, 1922.

This is the opinion of Edmund Rossini, president of the Confederation of Fascist Societies, who is the real father of the economic program of Fascism, which, according to sympathizers, vindicates the Fascist rule making the opposition criminal and the other measures for creating a permanent Fascist superstate.

Signor Rossini explained the operation of the "syndicalist hierarchy," which is so constituted that it is able to force both capital and labor to accept its decision, which in every case are made by magistrates and experts, thus preventing strikes, lockouts and other union troubles, which weaken the economic production and prosperity of nations.

OLD-TIME SYNDICALIST

Signor Rossini was born forty years ago at Farrara. He was educated in the industrial center of Turin and has been a syndicalist ever since 1904. He has organized societies of this kind in France and Switzerland and even in South America. For several years he was the editor of a syndicalist newspaper in New York, where he became well known for his defense of Ettor and Giovannitti, syndicalists held for accessory to murder in connection with the death of a woman in a Lawrence (Mass.) strike, but later released.

Rossini returned to Italy and began a campaign urging Italy's entrance into the war against the central powers. After the war he used the syndicalist as a force against Communism and is now supplying the chief constructive plank in the Fascist program for the regeneration of Italy.

Besides economic prosperity, Signor Rossini also mentioned the new spirit of patriotism and national pride which are now regenerating the country.

"The biggest mistake that foreigners make in judging Fascism is their failure to judge its economic program," Signor Rossini said. "The syndicalist action was begun as a basis of battle by the blackshirts. This fact distinguishes Fascism from the purely conservative movements or new schemes imitating Fascism. These policies contain no idea except of negotiating social democracy on one side and Communism on the other.

"Fascism in origin and reaction is anti-Bolshevism; hence, it naturally was bron through force and violence. Violence, however, is not employed without justification or aim. The Latin proverb, 'Force is necessary to conquer force' holds true in our case. It is not surprising that legions of youths when thrown into a fray, although originally disciplined in volunteer militia, should get out of hand during a revolution.

EXPLAINS VIOLENCE

"This explains why violence still remains despite the energetic action of the government party to prevent it. The opposition provoked violence in the end of 1924. But despite the violence we were not worried; we have sufficient historical knowledge to know that irregularities are the products of all revolutions. To judge Fascism properly it must be considered not in details but as a whole.

"It is important, too, to emphasize the word revolution. Italy has not only changed its government. No coup d'etat in history is comparable to the march on Rome which beyond all things was symbolical to the Italian race. The revolution was not so much achieved through work as in the mentality and spirit of the Italians. In the soul of the most humble peasant today there exists a profound feeling of the country's new mission.

"Immense crowds flock into the cities when Premier Mussolini appears. The Duce is a symbol rather than a man, reviving old memories and determinations which have not been extinguished. Foreigners must comprehend these feelings to understand Fascism and that our national revolution was only possible through a victorious war. Fascism is destroying party barriers, Sicilians, Neapolitans, Romans, and Piedmontese, and now there are only Italians."

CANADIAN MASON DIES AT 104 YEARS OF AGE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MONTREAL (Can.) Dec. 20.—Canada lost her oldest Mason in the person of Daniel Grove Holcombe who died at 104 years of age. He became a Mason about eighty years ago, and was born in Welland county, May 3, 1821. As a boy he drove a team on the towpath of the first Welland Canal, and has lived under five British sovereigns.

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People everywhere in the United States will be interested in knowing why the Los Angeles film industry is a national asset. The whole story in the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1.

CRISIS WITH UNIONS NEAR IN ENGLAND

Government Housing Plan Expected to Precipitate Fight With Dictators

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The government's announcement of an intention to speed up construction on the national housing projects is disturbing the complacency of the building trades. Ever since the Armistice there have been many complaints that bricklayers will not lay enough bricks an hour and will not permit their numbers to be recruited adequately to deal with the great housing shortage.

The Baldwin Cabinet is not the first which has been profoundly dissatisfied with the bricklayers' privileged position. Lloyd George's government examined the possible results of trying to make them speed up.

It is now proposed to have the steel for houses made in factories by engineers with laborers paid by piece work and the actual erection of the houses carried out by unskilled labor. The building trades unions are expected to insist that this labor receive union wages, thereby making the cost almost prohibitive. The development of the fight will be watched with great interest as the first overt act of the government against any union.

Greek to Him

Englishman: Speaking of funny things, did you ever hear the one about the nervous woman who, when she let down the in-a-door bed for the night, always looked under it for a burglar?

Scotsman: No, what was the joke?—(Exchange.

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MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 21, 1925.

OLISEUM BOOKS GREAT GRID PROGRAM FOR 1926

ZAGA NEXT CLUB TEAM

Eleven Coming for Game Sunday

Athletes Will Thursday

Indians to Win

of tough football play- to north, wearing the Bulldogs University of Spokane, Wash., will arrive in Los Angeles on Thursday to play the Los Angeles Athletic Club's hand-picked eleven at Wrigley Park next Sunday. Gonzaga has finished a particularly successful season with a team that is one of the best in the history of the institution and has one more victory to its credit over the molesking. and the L.A.A.C. should romp evenly. The club- to the Haskell Indians by a 13-to-10 score after the hardest struggles had in the city and the got smacked down by it, in a superthrill- in their own town. So it even as far as the

ED COUGARS

the comparative-score this further, Gonzaga able to beat U.S.C. They previous tie with Wash- in their schedule Oregon whipped U.S.C. played another tie with another eleven that definitely here against games, the Trojans were the Cougar clash, but scores are inter-

games, the Catholics only 160 points, winning except the Oregon Incidentally, the Aggies only ones to get more touchdowns on them, with the high-powered the latter, shoved the ball but was outplayed the time and had to be with a tie.

KEYMEN BETTER

Dick Rutherford's Mer- is improving at a and will probably give some of the stiff- that they've met. to be a better team than against the Haskell In- two reasons.

Indians refused to the college varsity and that let out

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HANLEYS BEING CONSIDERED FOR WASHINGTON STATE JOB

Roy and Dick Hanley, former grid coaches of the Haskell Indians, are being sought by Washington State College, according to word from the two mentors yesterday. The Hanleys completed four years of coaching the Indians Saturday when the Redskins trimmed the Los Angeles Athletic Club, 13 to 19, at Wrigley Field.

Albert A. Exendine recently resigned as grid coach at the Cougar institution. However, when his team beat U.S.C. here, officials of the Washington institution started a movement to have him reconsider his resignation. Exendine has said that he will stick by his original move, which makes it necessary for the Pullman authorities to line up another mentor.

AGGIES LEAVE FOR SOUTH

Oregon Squad Departs on Barnstorming Tour of California; Plays Four Games Here

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE (Corvallis, Or.) Dec. 20.—Coach Bob Hager with eight members of the Aggie basketball team left today for a barnstorming tour of California, which will take the team away until January 5. Eight games have been scheduled, which means a game-a-day excepting the 24th and 26th inst., when the team will rest up.

Coach Hager put his team through a stiff week of training in preparation for the hard grind ahead, and announced before he left that the squad was in fine fettle. In the past three years Hager has turned out two North west champions and placed third the first year. Last season the team won the northern division of the Pacific Coast Conference.

COACH "BOB" HAGER

Three teams will be played in Southern California, where the toughest competition is expected. Hollywood Athletic Club one of the best teams in Southern California will be played on the 29th inst., University of California, Southern Branch, last year's Southern California Conference champions on the 30th inst., and Whittier College the day following.

Of the team Hager is bringing south, Capt. Loris Baker, center, is the only man left from last year's championship team. Raymond Graap, a letter man last year and sub guard is a regular guard this year. William Burr of last year's freshman team is the other guard. Don Hartung, a veteran is one forward. Jack Savory covers the other forward berth. Fred Diwoky, forward, Glenn Mercer, guard, and James Pinkerton, center, are the subs.

The complete schedule is as follows:

December 21—Auburn Cubs at Auburn.
December 22—Ashlars Athletic Club at Stockton.
December 24—U.A.C. at San Francisco.
December 25—Knights of Columbus at Oakland.
December 28—Hollywood Athletic Club at Hollywood.
December 29—University of California at Los Angeles.
December 30—Whittier College at Whittier.
January 5—Fresno State at Fresno.

World Record Shattered by Smiling Dan III

Smiling Dan III hung up a new world's record for hydroplanes yesterday at Newport in a race held under the auspices of the Newport Harbor Yacht Club. The 151-cubic inch craft turned a lap in 40.9 and thereby qualified to enter the February 22 race at Florida. The old record was 39.5. The Smiling Dan also won the six-mile race. Other boats finished in the order named: Quick Silver, Midge, Hunting Bird and Baby Mine.

MONTANA STATE WINS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SPOKANE (Wash.) Dec. 20.—Montana State College defeated the Spokane Amateur Athletic Club basketball team, 38 to 18, here last night.

SPECTACULAR MOMENT IN SOCCER GAME AT LOYOLA

Ivan Southern, Sons of St. George goalie, clearing the ball from one of the raids by the Los Angeles Athletic Club forward line at Loyola yesterday. The ball has just been headed by Lakey Thompson who is obscured by Andy Walker with back to camera. Walker is left-back for the Sons and one of the best in the loop. Both he and Southern have been selected to play in the game next Sunday from which the players will be chosen for the intercity contests against San Francisco the following week. Alec Robertson whose goal gave the club their win is seen at extreme left of picture. Slawson is in the goal net prepared for eventualities.

NO WEAK SPOTS ON LONG CARD

Attractive Games Billed from October 2 to December 4

Signing Tulsa and Iowa State Teams Good Move

Oxy Makes Hit by Bringing Henderson Here

BY BRAVEN DYER

Football fans of Los Angeles will do well to begin manufacturing fool-proof excuses to offer friend wife or their respective employers for the list of games as outlined for next season is attractive enough to draw the most rabid rooter to the Coliseum every Saturday from October 2 to December 4. This schedule fails to include a flock of high-school games which will undoubtedly be thrillers nor does it take into account the prep play-off tilts and whatever contests may be billed by the now-popular Los Angeles Athletic Club eleven. There are no weak dates on the Coliseum menu and the fan who stays away from any of the eleven games listed below is apt to go around kicking himself in the pants the next day.

In addition to providing local fans with a program of much quality, those in charge of making the Coliseum available have seen to it that there is to be much variety in the entertainment. With all due respect to U.S.C. it must be said that the appearance of the Trojans in the Coliseum every Saturday has not only been bad for fans, but also a bit hard on the U.S.C. athletes themselves. A team can't play top-notch football every Saturday and inasmuch as the Trojans played twelve of their thirteen games at home fans were bound to be a bit dissatisfied with some of the contests. Next season the Trojans go away twice and in addition have left a couple of open dates. When they return they'll be all the more appreciated because they have been away.

Opening up the Coliseum to Southern Conference teams is a move in the right direction. The smaller institutions are and have been playing good football for a long time. Southern Branch's enrollment is such that it is said to rival U.S.C.'s at this time. When the Grizzlies and Occidental can command enough respect to bring such teams as Iowa State and Tulsa here next year they certainly deserve the use of the Coliseum.

If you don't already know the caliber of entertainment which has been lined up for next year take a squint at the following and then begin scheming so as to be able to attend all of the contests:

October 2—Santa Clara vs. U.S.C., October 9—Washington State vs. U.S.C., October 16—Occidental vs. U.S.C., October 23—Pomona vs. Southern Branch, October 30—Stanford vs. U.S.C., November 6—Occidental vs. Southern Branch, November 12—Occidental vs. Tulsa, November 20—Idaho vs. U.S.C., Thanksgiving Day—Montana vs. U.S.C., November 27—Iowa State vs. Southern Branch, December 4—Notre Dame vs. U.S.C.

That's the program Zack Farm-

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"THE MONEY-GETTERS"---A COMEDY-DRAMA

Harold "Red" Grange of Wheaton, Ill., and Ernest "Ernie" Nevers of Santa Rosa, Cal., Lead All-Star Cast in King Football's Greatest Production Ever Presented to the American Public

STAR

"Red" Grange

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Harold Grange, the most notable redhead ever turned out of Wheaton, Urbana, or any other part of Illinois, hits the trail again tomorrow in quest of the coin of the realm.

Surrounded by his multitudinous assistant managers, secretaries, etc., and by fellow-members of the Chicago Bears, the money-getting gridder will depart Monday on a journey that will consume over a month of time and about 7500 miles of travel.

So far six games are fixed for the redhead to do his stuff and a couple more may be added by C. C. Pyle, prime minister of the Grange stable, so before the ex-Illini star returns to his humble hearth he should have another $100,000 to add to the $100,000 that he picked up during his first couple of weeks in the business world.

Nevers, Grange Sure to Meet in Game Here

Plans have been virtually completed for the appearance of Ernie Nevers, Stanford's all-American fullback, against "Red" Grange in the professional football game to be played here January 16. This was the word received last night from George Cline, local sportsman, who is attending to details concerning the staging of the contest.

Nevers is under contract with the O'Brien Syndicate of Jacksonville, Fla. His contract runs until March 15. Nevers has a check for $25,000 deposited to his account in a Jacksonville bank. The rest of his money will come via the percentage route in every game he plays in, Ernie to get a cut of the gate receipts in every contest.

The Florida promoters have promised to release Nevers so as to permit him to play three games on the Coast. He will appear here on January 16, go to San Diego the following day and shift to San Francisco the next week, with Grange appearing against him in each of three locations.

Cline and his associates here are making a determined effort to get the Coliseum for the game. They have promised to comply with the management's demand for reasonably priced seats and have high hopes of securing the big bowl—which after all is the logical place to hold the game. In his own words, Cline is interested in giving the Los Angeles public a look at Grange, and he fee's that the Coliseum should make it possible for as many people as can to see the former Illinois star.

STAR

"Ernie" Nevers

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Ernie Nevers, plunging fullback of Stanford University, left here today for Jacksonville, Fla., where he will join the ranks of professional football players as captain of a Jacksonville all-star team under a contract which will net him about $50,000. He was accompanied by Jim Lawson, also of Stanford, who will be a team-mate of Nevers on the southern eleven.

A small bandage over one eye was the only evidence of yesterday's automobile accident that Nevers displayed.

The giant blond of Santa Rosa and Lawson, who hails from Long Beach, will reach Jacksonville Thursday evening, and the pair will be first seen in action in that city on January 2, next, when their team will oppose "Red" Grange's Chicago Bears.

YELLOWJACKETS TRIP CLEVELAND BULLDOGS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 20.—Facing a defense line which they were unable to penetrate the Cleveland Bulldogs were defeated, 13 to 7, here this afternoon by Philadelphia Yellowjackets in the final Professional Football League tilt in this city this season.

O'ROURKE LEADS SAINTS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

OAKLAND (Cal.) Dec. 20.—Pat O'Rourke, registered at St. Mary's College from Walla Walla, Wash., was elected captain of the varsity football team.

ALABAMANS ON FAST SPECIAL

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20.—A special train to Kansas City was operated out of St. Louis late today by the Missouri Pacific Railroad to enable the University of Alabama football team to keep up with its schedule of travel from Alabama to Pasadena, Cal., where the South's grid champions are to clash with the University of Washington on New Year's Day.

The special, carrying all forty-seven members of the party, left here at 5:19 p. m., and is being operated on faster than scheduled time in order that the gridders may make a train connection at Kansas City for Pasadena.

The Missouri Pacific provided the special when the players missed a scheduled connection here this afternoon, due to the late arrival of their train from Birmingham.

MERCURY MEN TAKE LEAD

L. A. A. C. Soccer Squad Trims Sons Eleven, 1 to 0, as Scots Tie Hollywood

The Los Angeles Athletic Club soccer team eased into undisputed leadership of the city loop by defeating the Sons of St. Georges, 1 to 0, at Loyola Field yesterday afternoon, while Hollywood A. C. was being held to a tie score by the sturdy Scots.

Weakness in the forward line was responsible for the Sons' defeat. At midfield play they were the equal of their opponents, but when it came to finishing they were simply not there, due to a proneness to dribble too much.

Winckel missed a fine opportunity to put the Sons in the lead when he received the ball a few yards out and lying practically uncovered. He dribbled to get in better scoring position, and the delay enabled Tunicliffe to take the ball from his toe.

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TICKETS GO ON SALE FOR BASKETBALL TILT

Tickets for the Oregon Aggie-Hollywood Athletic Club basketball game slated to take place at the movie city club, Tuesday night, the 29th inst., will be placed on sale this morning at the Equity Ticket Agency, Alexandria Hotel. The game between the Hollywood club and Oregon will be the outstanding game of the year, as both teams are recognized as supreme in their locality. Last year the film city club defeated the invaders in the most sensational game ever seen on the Hollywood floor and the largest crowd that has ever jammed into the club gymnasium should attend the game.

TEDDY HAYES DENIES DEMPSEY PREDICTION

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Teddy Hayes, who is training Mickey Walker, welterweight boxing champion, for his bout with Tommy Milligan of Scotland, in New York next month, today denied reports from Halifax that he had predicted a knockout for Harry Wills over Jack Dempsey next year in a brief bout. Hayes formerly trained Dempsey.

"It must look funny for such a statement to come from me," Hayes said. "I was surprised to read it in a Boston paper and I knew at once that I had been misunderstood. What I said was just about the reverse."

REPORT ANDY SMITH SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—The condition of Andy Smith, head coach of the University of California football team, ill with pneumonia at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, was reported tonight as "somewhat improved." Dr. Robert G. Torrey, his physician, said the famous coach had spent a fairly comfortable day and was resting easily tonight.

MACE, DOEG WIN IN EXHIBITION TENNIS

Wynn Mace, secretary of the Southern California Tennis Association, and Johnny Doeg of Santa Monica, defeated Miles Reinke and Ed Berry in a set of exhibition tennis at the Alhambra Athletic Club yesterday by a score of 13-11. Norval Craig and Ben Gorchakoff, local juniors, defeated Doeg and Berry in another exhibition, 12-10. Craig won over Gorchakoff, 7-5, in a singles match.

INGRAM STARS HEAD WEST

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—"Navy Bill" Ingram and his team of selected football stars of Eastern gridirons left here tonight for San Francisco, where on December 26 they will play a team of picked Western football stars in a benefit game for the Shriners' children's hospital.

The Easterners have been molded into an effective football machine during a week of intensive drill at Bloomington, Ind. Nearly all of the time was spent in building up an offensive. The strength of the aggregation was proven yesterday when it met the Indiana team and trimmed it 43 to 0 in a 40-minute game.

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LOCAL STARS FINISH 1 UP

New Champ Trims Wills 4 and 3 in Feature

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noble Cop Wilshire Play

Ham Reports East Backing $10,000 Open

BY BILL WISE

Wild Bill Melhorn, Chicago Old Colony Club star, with a taste of Hollywood night life still lingering, toured the difficult north course at Los Angeles twice yesterday, for an approximate 148, one stroke over par but playing with Big Ed Gayer, dropped the fastest feature Big Gun foursome to date, to Tom Stevens, California, and Chick Fraser, Midwick, 1 up.

The high-powered foursome battled through to the twenty-seventh green, all even, when the Midwick nonpareil holed a difficult approach shot from a trap to the left of the ninth green, for a birdie 2. Stevens came through on the next hole and after running fifteen feet past the cup on a chip approach, dropped his putt for a par 4 and a halve.

Fraser was low in the morning round, finishing all even with par. Melhorn and Stevens each chalked up 74's and Gayer, an approximate 75. The afternoon round found Melhorn two strokes under the players in his foursome but both Fraser and Stevens came in to halve the thirty-sixth hole for a 1-up win.

Scoring over the course that will be the scene of the $10,000 open tourney has been getting better daily. Charlie Guest, Girard, Al Watrous, Grand Rapids, and other prize entrants in the classic have broken 70 with startling regularity and many of the local and visiting professionals, playing under wraps, have been within scoring distance of numerous local records.

NEITZEL BAGS HOLLYWOOD TITLE

Earl Neitzel, the fast-stepping, straight-shooting golfing ace from the Hollywood Country Club, played through I. W. Willis, 4 and 3, in a 36-hole match yesterday to add the club championship title to his growing golf collection.

Neitzel, at home on the fast Hollywood greens, was 5 up at the end of the morning round and continued his unbeatable golf to ride through to the crown.

T. Roy Barnes, musical comedy star, who also knows a lot about Will Amor's championship clubs, was out to defeat T. J. Haley, 7 and 6, for the second-flight trophy, yesterday. R. H. Ahern traveled to the nineteenth hole to win from R. D. Law, 1 up, in the third flight. G. K. Druin defeated Paul Reed, 2 and 1, in the fourth flight. C. B. Short won from C. L. Leppo, 5 and 3, fifth flight; C. S. Pickrell defeated B. G. Sage, 2 up, sixth flight; R. M. Brown defeated H. S. Richmond, 2 and 1, seventh flight; R. P. Waldo defeated Fred W. Tenny, 2 and 1, eighth flight.

SWEEPSTAKES RESULTS

L. G. Trembley, 78-8-70 and J. B. Ransom, 84-14-70, tied for first honors in the sweepstakes play at Hollywood, yesterday. Other low scores were as follows: R. E. Speicher, 81-10-71; P. J. Welch, 82-10-72; C. A. Herberts, 83-8-75; Stanley Hughes, 83-6-77.

TUFTS CHAMPIONS CALIFORNIA GOLF

Raising the handicap limit for the $10,000 open tournament from 4 to 6, is just one of the many little things that Uncle Eddie Tufts has contributed to California golf.

While the Chairman will be robbed of a certain amount of mechanical class by the more than sixty local amateurs who will take advantage of the opportunity to play in the classic golf, as a whole, will benefit. For the entrants who will benefit by the tilted ante represent the finest type of sporting gentlemen and the spirit of good will sponsored by this group will more than balance the possible lack of technic.

The $10,000 Los Angeles tourney was first suggested for the benefit of golf in Southern California. Limiting the field to scratch and low-handicap players would insure an event of nation-wide interest. Raising the handicap limit to include scores of ranking amateurs gives the event an added national importance and focuses local interest in the tournament.

Members of the Southern California Professional Golfers' Association voted in an open meeting to limit the field to four handicap players. The far-seeing father of golf in California raised the rating limit to six. The pro association is interested in golf—Uncle Eddie is interested in golf—and golfers — and the golfers pay for golf.

MAY REVISE OPEN SCORING

Officials in charge of the $10,000 open tourney are seriously considering having entrants qualify in threesomes, rather than in twosomes, to save time. If the field exceeds 200 this will probably be necessary and it may be found convenient—and consistent with California standards to give local amateurs the break—so there may be two pros and one amateur in each threesome. Definite plans will be announced later.

HEAVY PLAY AT CALIFORNIA

Gale Martin, 78-8-70; R. R. Curry, 86-16-70; George S. Hupp, 90-20-70, and J. R. Owens, 94-24-74, tied for first place in the match play against par event at Tom Steven's California Club, yesterday. Fay Coleman, 76-4-72; Johnnie Mescal, 76-4-72, and A. K. Rebard, 90-18-72, tangled for the second trophy. Coleman and Mescal, playing together, finished all even on holes and medal.

Fay Coleman, 73, and R. V. Jones, 84, defeated Hester Coleman, 76, and Gale Martin, 80, 1 up, in a fast foursome following the sweepstakes play.

NOBLES COLLECT WILSHIRE EVENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noble finished under a fast medley field at Wilshire yesterday to win the club mixed foursome tourney with 103-20-83. Dr. O. W. Butler and Mrs. Ted Haas won low gross honors and second low net prize, in the event with 91-8-83. In a special interest-even match, Mrs. Haas and Dr. Butler defeated Johnnie Hedge and Miss Helen Lawson.

KELLY TRIMS JOE KIRKWOOD

Larry Kelly, Westward-Ho professional, defeated Joe Kirkwood, Australian trick-shot wizard, in an exhibition match over the former's snappy nine-hole course, yesterday. Kelly, with three birdies, was home in 29, while Kirkwood, with two of the mythical golfing fowls, required 31. Following the match, Kirkwood demonstrated many of his famous shots, and a fine golf lecture for the benefit of the record crowd that enjoyed the event.

HAM ADVERTISING OPEN TOURNEY

Harry Ham, secretary of the Brentwood club, has recently returned from an extended trip throughout the East. While back in the land of the ice and snow, the Brentwood official, through his Ask Mr. Foster service, with offices in more than 100 cities, conducted a careful survey of outside interest in the open tourney here next month.

Through a carefully prepared information service, Mr. Ham has carried news of the midwinter classic to every section of the country. The response has been encouraging. Scores of ranking amateurs in principal cities have investigated and been informed of local golfing conditions. The news of more than fifty all-grass courses, available for play every day in the year, has been a revelation to the fraternity.

During the next year, hundreds of tourists—with golf bags, will be filtering into the coming tee and greens center of the universe. No other single agency could have done so much for the $10,000 open tourney in particular — and golf, and Southern California in general, as Harry Harrison Ham.

It is interesting to note that the open tournament was originally voted to the home course of the man who is so much in favor of better golf—and more of it—and the fact that the event was more or less gracefully transferred from Brentwood to Los Angeles gave the former executive an opportunity to work just as hard for another club—as he would have worked for his own organization.

OBSERVATIONS

BY THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER
BILL HENRY

WE HEREBY wish to nominate Mr. John J. Roebuck, charging lineman of the Haskell Indians, for the All-American team. It's perfectly true that we haven't seen Mr. Weir of Nebraska nor most of the other brothers who have been mentioned for this position, but we'll bet our life insurance policy against a stick of Mr. Wrigley's choicest gum that Weir nor anybody else could make a greater impression on a crowd than Roebuck did against the L.A.A.C. team on Saturday. He weighs 230 pounds and he handles himself like a lightweight, stopping plays from behind, blocking a punt and generally smearing everything and everybody in sight. While the other boys were panting for breath between plays Mr. Roebuck would step off a few yards in wind sprints and apparently he felt very sorry that they ended the game that they did, his preference being to continue until darkness.

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The Haskell team played a great game of football against the clubmen, the L.A.A.C. scores coming as a result of Haskell's fumbles. McLain at fullback proved to be an excellent line plunger, Levi's passing was excellent, Colby's work in McLain's place was unusually good, Cross doing well at handling punts, Hard going particularly well on defense and the rest of the team performing in proportion. We don't know when we've seen a team in recent years in which so many individuals seemed to stick out by reason of their excellent work. Io looked to us as though the Clubmen would have done well in the closing moments of play when Evans made a fair catch on the Indian 45-yard line, to let Norm Anderson take a shot at a field goal. He is sure death at that distance and a goal would have won the game for the L.A.A.C.

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The Clubmen, however, are a powerful and potentially great football team and their defeat by Haskell is no indication of darkness. Coach Rutherford has only had his men practicing for a couple of weeks and individual brilliancy alone has won for them so far. Lack of condition and lack of practice show in their play and will be overcome with a little more hard work. By next Sabbath, when the Clubmen tangle with the rough boys from Gonzaga, the local heroes ought to be in top-notch shape, or approaching it, and should begin to show their real ability. If they had started about a month previously they would be almost unbeatable by now.

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Those young fellows from Bakersfield are a tough lot to beat. They play real college football up there. They have lots of good material, big and strong and well seasoned and among the other attributes of Bro. Griffith as a coach is his ability to bring along enough good substitutes every year to give him an experienced eleven regardless of the constant losses through graduations. We've talked to a lot of folks who have seen them and who know what they're talking about and we are told that this year's aggregation of Drillers measures well up to the fine elevens of previous years.

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The schedule for the Stals championship play-off favors Covina just a little bit and Injun Newman's men ought to be in shape to give Bakersfield's athletes the battle of their young lives next Saturday at the Coliseum. The rest of two weeks after the hard San Diego game should put the Covina boys right on their toes and they will need to be for Bakersfield is going to be a tough outfit for anybody to beat.

FORVE WINNER AT LOS ANGELES

Phil Forve, Jr., finished 1 down to win the special match play against par event at Los Angeles Saturday. Dr. S. Mackay won the Class B play, 4 down.

FOLKS LEADS AT BRENTWOOD

Ray J. Folks, 81-10-71, won the Class-A match play against par tourney from a fast field at Brentwood yesterday. Dan R. Brown was second, 87-14178. E. P. Clark, 94-20-74; E. Denio, 95-22-76, and H. S. Johnson, 106-28-78, finished in the order named in the Class-B competition.

MIXED FOURSOME

H. H. Gaines and Mrs. Willie Hunter, medaled 84 yesterday, to win the play-off in the low gross mixed foursome tie from Mrs. H. F. Smothers and Perry Ferguson, who came home two strokes over their opponents. The two teams tangled with scores in the low eighties in the first of the regular monthly club mixed foursome events, two weeks ago.

PRO TOURNEY AT LOS ANGELES

Local and visiting professionals will play in a Big Gun Sweepstakes event over the north course at Los Angeles today. Harry Pressler, Hacienda, and Al Watrous, Grand Rapids, will team in one feature quartet, while Bill Melhorn and Ed Gayer are scheduled to play Tom Stevens and Chick Fraser in another high-powered foursome.

There will be a meeting of the pro association in the new Chamber of Commerce rooms at 8 o'clock tonight. Important business in connection with the $10,000 open tourney that starts next week, will come up for consideration.

MEDLEY PLAY-OFF AT LOS ANGELES

Dick Linares, Long Beach municipal professional, and Mrs. Wallie Lohman of Hollywood, who medaled, 81-5-76 to tie with Ed Gayer, Chicago, and Mrs. C. K. Moore, Los Angeles, 80-4-76, for low net in the Professional - Women's Mixed Foursome tourney at Rancho last week, will play 18 holes for the auxiliary trophy, at Los Angeles this morning.

HAYWARD ANNEXES OAKMONT TITLE

Julian Hayward defeated Freeman B. Davis, 4 and 3, in their 36-hole match for the Oakmont Club championship title yesterday. Hayward burned up the course during the morning round and was 10 up with a 74 at the turn. Davis rallied and cut down his opponent's overwhelming lead but Hayward was able to coast through to the golf crown.

Billie MacPherson, 13-year-old youngster who has started to carve a golf future all his own, defeated C. F. Shapley, 2 up, for the second flight trophy. Other title finals were as follows:

THIRD FLIGHT

P. J. Duncan defeated George Rich, 6 and 5.

FOURTH FLIGHT

H. P. Hayward defeated R. E. Corrigan, 1 up.

FIFTH FLIGHT

J. A. Backer defeated J. Mortensen, 1 up.

DEFEATED EIGHTS, FIRST FLIGHT

John Knight defeated E. O. Barnes, 3 up.

THIRD FLIGHT

R. H. Fisher defeated R. J. Chism, 4 and 3.

FOURTH FLIGHT

J. D. Santch defeated Thomas Conway, 3 and 1.

FIFTH FLIGHT ½

W. F. MacPherson defeated E. L. Knox, 3 and 4.

HOLIDAY PLAY

Oakmont golfers will play in a one-club tourney, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, for special prizes that have been offered. Entries should be submitted at once.

PRESIDENT'S CUP PLAY AT MIDWICK

First round matches in the President's and Vice-president's Cup tournament will start today at the Midwick Country Club. Players have one week to finish these matches. The pairings follow:

President's cup—H. J. Schroder vs. L. W. Beisel, J. H. Kelleher vs. W. T. Harkness, F. F. Carpenter vs. Alex McDonald, A. C. Fritz vs. R. Spencer, F. Rhodes vs. E. S. Ogle, J. Hill vs. W. B. Tait, A. B. Young vs. H. Jewett, E. W. Spaulding vs. K. E. Dodie, W. E. Perrin, jr., vs. A. K. Bourne vs. S. S. Tuttle, A. M. Clifford vs. K. N. Avery, F. W. Parsons vs. Robert Fitzsimons, jr., C. D. MacWilliams vs. J. L. Methenay, J. S. Collier, jr., vs. [illegible].

Vice-president's cup—L. L. Delano bye; W. W. Stephens vs. L. R. Maple, L. H. Starkey, bye; H. H. Stoner vs. S. Halstead, G. P. Starr vs. H. Armstrong, H. McFarland, bye; George Ogle, bye; Scott, bye; S. C. Stephens vs. W. Hunt, C. F. Young, jr., vs. C. Covey, vs. J. M. Wilson, E. Mason, bye; G. E. Moreland vs. E. Fenn, bye; Ed Fenn vs. J. MacWilliams vs. [illegible]. J. N. Patterson, W. S. Lawson, bye.

Yesterday's sweepstakes are reported by Chick Fraser, Midwick pro, as follows: Class A, L. Motherhead, 1 up; G. Ogle and A. M. Clifford, bye; Class B, H. Starkey, 1 up; W. G. Hunt, vest; F. H. Haraden, dead.

JEAN WILSON LEADS GRIFFITH WOMEN

Miss Jean Wilson won the first prize in the McCausland trophy tourney staged by members of the Griffith Park Women's Golf Club, reports Mrs. L. M. Cahn, chairman. Mrs. E. Thorne was second and Mrs. Anna Elliott third. The Dyas Cup will be played for Tuesday, with two other trophies also at stake. Don Meaney has donated a large silver trophy which will be played for soon.

HACIENDA TRIMS MOUNTAINEERS

Hacienda golfers defeated Mountain Meadows, 8 to 7, in a challenge team match at Hacienda yesterday, reports Harry Pressler, pro. Results: Paul Kenkhoff and Carlton (M. M.,) 0; E. R. Canterbury and A. R. McGregor (H.,) 8; Leo Berner and C. Williams (M. M.,) 1-2; G. W. Finch and C. A. Carden (H.,) 1-2; G. Halliday and L. Gray (M. M.,) 2 1-2; W. J. Cox and W. W. Beckwith (H.,) 1-2; H. Chambers and F. Johnson (M. M.,) 3; O. Mendenhall and H. Anderson (H.,) 0; L. Grimth and W. D. Fredericks (M. M.,) 0; George W. (Rube) Ellis and J. H. Demmitt (H.,) 3.

In a turkey shoot H. Anderson, G. McConihay and B. L. Donaghue were the winners. Another turkey shoot, with golf balls, will be held today by Pressler.

GOLD BALL EVENT AT FLINTRIDGE

Plans for a record two-day qualifying field starting play in the Flintridge gold ball tourney Saturday, have been completed, and some good scoring should result before the sixty-four low scores in two classes will start match play next Monday.

The tournament committee in charge of this event is composed of E. B. Yoakum, chairman; L. R. Coffin and Louis Cass. Here are the facts about the tourney:

No entrance fee. Qualifying play, 18 holes, either Saturday or Sunday.

Entrants qualified may practice round at Flintridge without payment of green fee. Players to qualify in two handicap classes, scratch to 6 and 8 to 18.

Low 32 gross scores 0-6 handicaps play for gold trophy; low 32 gross scores 8-18 handicaps play for silver trophy.

First-round matches—Monday; second round, Tuesday; third and semi-finals, Wednesday; final matches, Friday.

There will be two flights of 32 each competing at match play.

A feature two-ball mixed foursome event will conclude the invitational, one week from next Thursday. Entries and requests for starting time in this event also, should be phoned the club, Fair Oaks 103, at once.

BEACH PUCKS TAKE ON AUTOS TONIGHT

The final effort to dislodge the Automobile Club sextet from the leadership of the California Amateur Hockey League will begin tonight when the Casa del Mar team will attempt to administer the Motorists' second defeat of the season, at the Palais de Glace.

Each team has but three more games to play before the title of the first half of the season is decided.

PLAY QUOITS IN SNOW

Lake Arrowhead's winter horseshoe tournament will be played on snow-covered grounds next month.

Layton Stanton Picked to Lead Caltech Eleven

"Fox" Stanton

Layton Stanton, halfback on the California Tech football team for the past two years, will lead the Engineer gridders next season, according to an announcement from the Pasadena institution. Stanton will be playing his third and last year. He succeeds Jack Baker, who skippered the Engineers through the season recently closed.

Stanton is the son of W. Layton Stanton, mentor of the Caltech eleven, the two forming one of the most unique combinations in the history of the grid game. Stanton, Sr., has coached at Pomona and Occidental in the past and is recognized as one of the best mentors in the business. Two years ago he gave Caltech a team which beat Pomona and tied the Sagehens for the conference title. In the season just ended he provided the big upset of the final round by holding Southern Branch to a tie, thus preventing the Grizzlies from getting an even break with Occidental for the championship.

SAN DIEGO ON SHORT END IN GRIZZLY GAME

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 20.—The Grizzlies from the University of California, Southern Branch, overwhelmed the San Diego State College basketball team here last night 32 to 17, in the opening game of the season for the local quintet. The victors had the upper hand throughout the game, holding practically a 2-to-1 advantage in score all the way, and threatening to increase the lead all the time.

Southern Branch (32)		State College (17)
Ketchum	F.	Mott (2)
Goetz	F.	Meach
Peters	C.	Babb
Thomas (C.)	G.	Pickett
Armstrong	G.	Bowen

DOUBLE-MAIN GO IN CULVER ARENA

Culver City stages its Christmas show tomorrow night with a double-main event, Bobbie LaSalle, who has a large following in the Bay district, meets Kid Claro at 130 pounds. Young Zorilio, the Panama flash, tackles Ralph Lincoln in the other half of the main bill, at 122 pounds.

SAINTS BEAT JAPS

The Saint Columkills baseball team defeated the Japanese Young Men's Association, 11 to 10, in a hard fought game at Sixty-fourth and Main yesterday. The Saints won in the eleventh inning.

Long Shot in Game is Worth Half Short Toss

BY AL DEMAREE
Former Pitcher, New York Giants

The theoretical bone of contention of basketball is the relative value of the long and short-shot game. Statistics kept during twenty-one various college league games give data which help boil down this argument to cold facts.

In the twenty-one games on which tally was kept on every shot, long and short, and every basket, long or short, it was found that the teams took a total of 1647 long shots, or an average of approximately forty long shots per game for each of the forty-two teams in the twenty-one games. The total number of long baskets scored was 164, or a little less than four for each team per game.

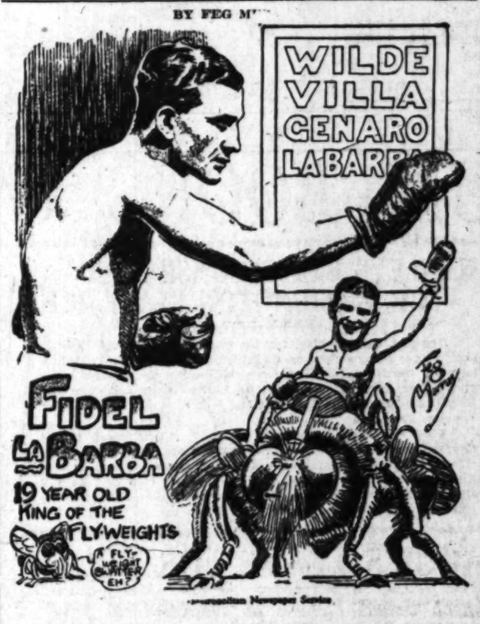
The forty-two teams in these twenty-one games forced through for a total of 705 short shots, or about seventeen each, to score a total of 188 short baskets, about 4.5 each.

Assuming, then, that a basketball team takes around forty long shots in a game to get four baskets, and seventeen short shots to get the same number, a long shot has just about half the chance of finding the net as a short shot. But it is easier to get the long shot, and the total scoring favors the short shot slightly. One in every 100 long shots should score, and more than one of every five short ones or a long shot is worth half a short shot.

Let your friends know about living conditions in Southern California. In the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1,

FIDEL FIGHTS FOR FUND

BY FEG M[illegible]



New York fight fans are all excited because they are to get their first glimpse of Fidel La Barba next Wednesday night in the Christmas Fund fights in Madison Square Garden. Fidel La Barba, you know, is world's flyweight champion everywhere except in the State of New York, for there the worthy commission refuses to allow a mixup to fight more than six rounds, and since Fidel is only 19, he can't win or defend a title in a championship fight.

But little Fidel, the recent Lincoln High school student of Los Angeles, who has his heart set on going to Stanford University, will prove to the ring fans and the Boxing Commission of New York that he is a real champion and a worthy successor to Jimmy Wilde of England, Pancho Villa of the Philippines, and Frankie Genaro of the U.S.A., all previous holders of the flyweight title.

The history of the title is very brief. Wilde was the first to bear it, and he lost it to Villa at the Polo Grounds in 1923 in one of the bloodiest battles in ring history. Since Genaro had two victories to his credit over Villa, when the little brown man died last summer, the Italian was naturally accredited with the title. And when Le Barba won a decision from Genaro's own referee over Genaro there was little left to do but to acclaim "Fidel as "world's champion." Maybe they'll get out of it by stalling around long enough until La Barba is of age.

Two or three years ago I used to get some exercise now and then by running around the indoor track in the gymnasium at the Los Angeles Athletic Club, where George Blake was boxing instructor. Fidel La Barba was a promising amateur fighter. Little Fidel would run along beside me, taking two steps to my one. He was always very polite and modest and used to ask lots of questions about New York and the Olympic Games. Now he's come to New York as a former Olympic and present world's champion—and I'm the one that should call him "Mister" and ask the questions.

HUSKIES ERRED IN ACCEPTING GAME, SAYS SEATTLE PAPER

Washington is undoubtedly becoming slightly afraid of the New Year's Day game with Alabama, if reports from the Puget Sound region are to be believed. That the Huskies are due for no picnic when opposing the Southerners is evidently the impression which the Seattle Times wishes to convey in the editorial which is reprinted here. It appeared on the front page of the Times a few days ago. Look it over.

"How anyone who has the welfare of the University of Washington at heart could risk the hard-won reputation of the Huskies to provide a Roman holiday for Pasadena tourists is incomprehensible," says the editorial.

The editorial goes on to say that the lesson of the Oregon game should not be forgotten. Washington beat Oregon, 15 to 14, after the Washington rooters had been scared stiff. Should the Huskies be beaten by Alabama, the Seattle paper says no one can predict the deep resentment that would be aroused in Seattle and the Northwest.

"Talk of some vague and hazy obligation to the Pacific Coast Conference is bunk," continues the Seattle editorial. "There exists no such obligation. Washington has no duty to perform in supplying Pasadena with a holiday spectacle.

"The authorities who control athletics at the University of Washington owe their institution an undoubted obligation to safeguard the good reputation of the Huskies and to see to it that classroom work is not disrupted by foolish junkets."

Meanwhile, the members of the Washington team are practicing daily in the rain for the game with Alabama and preparations are being made to burn another $50,000 worth of bonds on the Washington stadium.

COLTS TO FACE DRILLERS

Bakersfield Meets Tartar in Covina Football Team at Coliseum Gridiron Next Saturday

BY ROBERT RAY
"Times" Staff Correspondent
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—A tough battle looms for oCach "Goldy" Griffith's Bakersfield Drillers next Saturday when they tackle the Covina Colts, Southern California champions, for the State interscholastic grid title at the Los Angeles Coliseum.

The Drillers, who had won the State crown four times in the last five years, had rather soft pickings against the Salinas Cowboys, whom they defeated, 38 to 0, at Ewing Field to capture the Northern California title, but they will find themselves up against a tough proposition when they hook up with "Chief" Newman's eleven from the orange grove section.

Next Saturday's title game will prove a battle between two well-drilled lines that have behind them some outstanding ball packers. Bakersfield's line simply smothered the Salinas forwards last Saturday, making it easy for Tex Jones, George Harper and the other driller backs to plow through to six touchdowns. Also, there's no questioning that Jones is not one sweet halfback. The Bakersfield redhead is a fighter, the kind that keeps ripping forward until three or four opponents sit on him. Behind the Bakersfield line, Jones is one tough baby to stop, but—don't think that Covina isn't fairly well equipped in the matter of grid material.

The Covina line has outplayed everything sent against it this year and might, perhaps, have a slight edge on the Drillers, in running interference. "Sleepy Don" Rieke and Earl Needham are to the Covina backfield what Jones and Harper are to the Bakersfield offense. However, there's a difference in types between the quartet. Jones and Harper simply plow into the mass and behind the Driller line, are strong enough to gain plenty of yardage, while Rieke and Needham go at their work more deliberately. Of the two, Needham is more more like the Driller pair. Rieke makes his ground by following his interference well and has a deceptive shift that makes him tough to haul down.

SQUASH TOURNEY TO OPEN UP NEXT WEEK

Tom Gallery, squash commissioner of the Hollywood Athletic Club, announced last night that the annual handicap squash tournament would get under way at the club next Monday morning and continue for two weeks. Players wishing to enter should get in touch with Bob Howard at once and sign up. Gallery will personally rate the players and place them accordingly. Among those already signed up for the event are Shep Kelley, Bert Roach, Tom Shirley, C. C. Henderson, Weslie Peck, Hans Koebig, Bill Clark, Chester Bennett, Albert Kelley, Edmunde Love, Frank Hagney, Tom Gallery, Bert Hartwell, Lew Bailey, Kenneth Albright, David Butler, Frank Borzage and Walter McGrail.

GOODYEARS SWAMP PARKMEN

The Goodyear baseball team didn't have any trouble with the Echo Park Athletic Club nine yesterday, handing them a 16-to-4 beating at Goodyear Park. The Rubbermen made a bad beating a slaughter in the eighth inning when they scored eight runs.

GOODYEAR	AB	R	H	O	A
Vick, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Kalstad, 2b	4	1	1	2	3
Klein, ss	3	0	0	1	3
Stiles, 3b	3	2	1	1	2
Douglas, 1b	4	1	1	10	2
Hubbs, lf	3	0	1	3	0
Case, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Hilgrim, rf	2	2	2	0	0
Jenkins, c	4	1	1	7	2
Carlson, p	3	0	1	0	7
Boyd, 1b	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	9	10	25	19

ECHO PARK	AB	R	H	O
Stewart, 2b	4	0	0	1
Felix, 2b	4	0	0	1
Meadows, 1b	4	0	1	9
Redding, ss	3	0	0	3
Leopold, c	3	0	0	7
Lee, lf	3	0	0	1
Hartley, rf	3	0	0	0
Chavel, 3b	3	0	1	1
Santee, p	4	1	2	2
Totals	34	4	4	24

SCORE BY INNINGS

Goodyear	0	4	1	1	1	0	0	8	0	16
Ba'l hits	4	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	11
Echo Park	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4
Base hits	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4

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MERCURY MEN LEADING LEAGU...

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half had gone before the club listered their goal. They had the aggressor for the greater of the period and it was that it was but a matter of before a goal or goals sult. Their forwards led by Thompson were keeping the much in Sons' territory, and time that Andy Walker whip it back to midfield, the halves would return it to waiting forwards.

This pressure was tained until Tod Harley over a perfect cross after ing Walker. Bobby Reb received the ball and goal. Southern got his on the leather, but and Alec Robertson flash rushed the goalie the line for the winning Sons attempted a rally fell short.

The meeting of the Hollywood resulted in culture' Hollywood took sensive with the first had some hard luck game when Parkinson inches, crosses from the game fifteen minutes began to make their and except for a staged by Hollywood second half during movie boys scored they held the mastery.

Yoxall, center forward opened the scoring when Al he shot a which rebounded from bar into the net. only counter in the but Yoxall again early in the concluding This goal brought lent teamwork on the Scots, the ball being repassed with fine defenders being seen.

COMMERCIALS BEAT

The Commercial Club team added another already long and bumping the Union 5 to 1, at Ross Snyder Berry. Union Pacific the only man on to get a hit off Reynolds, mercial Club pitcher. out a double and scored the only run made. The score:

COMMERCIAL CLUB	AB	R	H	O	A	UNION PAC.	AB	R	H	O	A
Leathers, ss	3	1	1	2	3	Wade, cf	3	0	0	2	0
Mauldin, 2b	3	1	1	3	4	Rubich, lb	3	0	0	9	0
Hamilton, lb	3	1	1	9	0	Berry, c	3	0	0	5	0
Scott, lf	3	1	1	1	0	Dixon, rf	3	0	0	1	0
Brown, cf	3	0	0	1	0	Brown, ss	3	0	0	1	3
Ames, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	O. Powell, 2b	3	0	0	2	3
Stevens, rf	3	0	0	1	0	Gemmill, p	3	0	0	0	2
Mahoney, c	3	0	0	6	1	Powell, c	2	0	0	3	0
Reynolds, p	3	0	0	0	2	F. Price, 2b	2	0	0	0	1
Harding, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	Duncan, lb	2	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	5	3	27	13	Totals	26	0	0	24	9

SCORES BY INNINGS

Commercial Club	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	5
Base hits	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Union Pacific	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

MONTEBELLO RUINS P...

Larry Lewis's hard-hitting Montebello ball team had a holiday at the expense of United Parcel nine yesterday, defeating them an 18-to-2 basis. Montebello. The winners fourteen runs in the sixth Hilyard held the Parcels to hits. The score:

UNITED PARCEL	AB	R	H	O	A	MONTEBELLO	AB	R	H	O	A
Lightcap, lb	4	0	1	7	0	Evans, c	4	0	0	6	1
Butler, ss	4	0	0	1	3	Whaley, lb	4	0	0	9	0
K. Price, lb-p	3	0	0	0	0	Hilyard, p	4	0	0	0	3
McClean, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	Balch, 2b	4	0	0	2	3
G. Price, cf-lb	3	0	0	3	0	Cox, ss	4	0	0	1	3
M. Mitchell, rf	3	0	0	1	0	Cox, 3b	4	0	0	0	3
Jones, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	Cox, lf	4	0	0	1	0
E. Mitchell, c	3	0	0	10	0	Cox, rf	4	0	0	1	0
E. Richards, c	1	0	0	1	0	Cox, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Castello, p	2	0	0	0	0	Cox, 1b	4	0	0	1	0
Minton, rf	2	0	0	0	0	Cox, c	4	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	0	1	25	8	Totals	36	2	2	24	13

SCORE BY INNINGS

United Parcel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Montebello	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2

LA FIESTA NINE W...

Scoring six of their runs in the last three innings, La Fiesta 43 ball team defeated Belvedere Gardens ball team 6, in a fast game at Pressley terday.

BELVEDERE	AB	R	H	O	A	La Fiesta	AB	R	H	O	A
Finck, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	DeCinna, ss	4	1	1	2	3
Moore, lb	4	0	0	8	0	Hall, 2b	4	1	1	2	2
McDee, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	Hudkins, c	4	1	2	6	1
Hunnicutt, ss	4	0	0	1	3	Ace, p	4	1	2	0	3
Hall, rf	4	0	0	1	0	Hudkins, lb	4	0	1	9	0
Mahoney, cf	4	0	0	2	0	Root, rf	4	0	0	1	0
Pringle, c	4	0	0	6	1	Root, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Castillo, p	4	0	0	0	2	Root, lf	4	0	0	1	0
Leffler, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	Root, 3b	4	0	0	0	1
Wilmot, lf	4	0	0	1	0	Root, 1b	4	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	1	2	23	11	Totals	36	4	7	24	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

Belvedere Gardens	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
La Fiesta	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	6
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	7

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ECHO PARK	AB	R	H	O	A
...rguson, 2b	4	0	1	1	2
...Gredown, lb	4	0	1	7	0
...Gerding, ss	4	0	0	1	2
...Gerding, 3b	4	0	0	0	1
...Gerding, c	4	0	0	5	1
...Gerding, lf	4	0	0	1	0
...Gerding, cf	4	0	0	1	0
...Gerding, rf	4	0	0	1	0
...Gerding, p	4	1	1	0	3
Totals	36	1	3	27	9

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MERCURY MEN LEADING LEAGUE

BOJAN-IRISH CLASH IS CHEERED BY GRID FANS

...dern Footba'l Enthusiasts Wish to See Golden West Athletes in Role of Invaders

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

...ICAGO, Dec. 20.—Better late than never is the reaction of Chicago football fans to the announcement that the University of Southern California gridders will play in this territory the fall of 1927. The news seems to be cheering intelligence to the press of Chicago, which, naturally, is eager to see the Notre Dame-Trojan game played at Soldiers' Field, local football park at the edge of the Loop. Knute Rockne is given full credit for inveigling the Trojans to come East.

...ddle western fans are pleased to the fact that there will be a steady procession of Pacific Coast elevens to the Windy City, due to the further fact that the majority of the invading elevens are coached by ex-Notre Dame luminaries, which, they say, is the best evidence that football in the Far West is on a slightly higher plane than in the East.

...ut west of the woods there is a suspicion that the long trips Pacific Coast elevens had something to do with the adverse scores. As a matter of fact, there has been no chance to get acclimated, inasmuch as the season has been pulled off in mid-summer. Take, for instance, the Hawkeyes who played Notre Dame during the past season. Any Iowa fan will tell you that the mercury was 100 degrees for their favorite sport, because the game was played when the mercury was in the nineties.

...at rule that doesn't work! But any explanation for poor conditions have not been offered. California track athletes and Washington oarsmen have gotten their share of the laurels in eastern intercollegiate contests, after they traveled far, but ran as fast, rowed as hard as in their native States and more often than not brought home the bacon, is taken with a grain of salt.

Athletic fans generally in this section, however, admit that they grow 'em big and strong along the fringes of the Pacific, but they say they would certainly like to see the Coast boys on a field either ankle deep in mud or snow, or else frozen as hard as the rock of the Sierras. That, of course, is human nature.

But, on the other hand, the Southland boys would not be without friends or admirers. There are many in this section who have great admiration for the pluck, sportsmanship and all-around gameness of the athletes raised in the Golden West, and it is a safe prediction that a Trojan game here would draw one of the biggest crowds ever jammed into an amphitheater.

...OUNDING THIRD

by Hugh A. Jennings

BLOCKING THE PLATE

CHAPTER XXII

...Bebelt used to be ...Man With the Iron ...s was a wonderful back-...stop. While slow ...on his feet he ...was one of the ...hardest and ...longest hitters ...of his day. His baseball career ...came to a sud-...den and unfor-...tunate end. He ...was going West ...on a hunting ...trip, accompanied ...by Kid Nichols, the pitcher. At one ...stop Bennett and Nichols got off to stretch ...their wandered a bit ...from the depot and discovered that the train was ...moving. Bennett and Nichols ran ...after it. Nichols swung on ...the car, Bennett, trying to ...do the same, lost his hold and fell ...on the cinders. Both legs had ...been mangled.

...baseball game has produced ...many great catchers. There have ...been a lot of them in the ...past few years, ...but I have ever seen. He ...was still one of the ...greatest of batsmen and ...in his prime was one of the most ...dangerous hitters in the ...history of the American League. ...Many a time did his best work as ...a batter when he became ...desperate and had the power to ...make pitchers follow his ...every inclination, the advantage ...would have before he became ...desperate. ...the trick of blocking ...the plate, I doubt if ...ever did it more ef-...fectively than Carrigan. At least ...I have never seen an equal in his ...class. Carrigan was big and ex-...tremely active. One time in De-...troit Moriarty ...Moriarty tried to steal ...home and Moriarty succeeded in ...getting across the plate, but Carrigan ...blocked the score, but Carrigan ...was hurt and saved the game. ...Moriarty and Carrigan tangled at the ...plate, and Carrigan was finally ...injured when a ...ran into a ...ponderous blow and ...Carrigan was final-...ly carried from the field and reached the club ...house. The fans hung about ...more than an hour after the game, waiting for Carrigan. He ...finally left the park between ...two policemen, who had to ...escort him up. None of the ...fans recognized him. Carrigan ...was disguised in the working clothes of the groundkeeper.

Billy Sullivan made a big reputation as catcher for the Chicago White Sox, but he had his big years while Ed Walsh was at his best. Sullivan always caught Walsh.

Since Sullivan's time the White Sox have had one of the game's greatest in Ray (Cracker) Schalk. He is small, but he made up for lack of size in abundance of aggressiveness. He handled pitchers well, threw well and had the faculty of outguessing base runners. While not a strong hitter, Schalk was always dangerous in the pinches and generally delivered when a hit meant something. He was one of the very best judges of foul flies in history. When a foul was hit in back of him, toward the screen, Schalk would get to the screen as fast as he could, turn and be in front of the ball. He did not try to take them over his shoulder as other catchers generally do.

When Schalk was at the height of his catching career, Johnny Bassler entered the league as a member of the Detroit Tigers. Bassler is slower than Schalk and not so aggressive, but a remarkable catcher and one of the most intelligent I have ever watched. He steadies his pitchers, is a deep and sound student of batting and is even better than Schalk at outguessing on hit-and-run plays. On top of that he is one of the best hitting catchers the major leagues have produced, one of the hardest men in the game to pitch past.

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GLENDORA WINS

Harry Nelson's Glendora nine went into the leadership of the Orange Belt League yesterday by defeating Arcadia, 6 to 4, at Glendora. It was the first league defeat of the year for Arcadia.

Dick Bonnelly's pitching, he fanned eight batters, and the strong hitting of Ray Sorey, Sam Leake, Campbell and Stradley brought victory to Glendora. Maloney got three hits out of four times at bat for the losers. The score:

ARCADIA	AB	R	H	O	A	GLENDORA	AB	R	H	O	A
Maloney, ss	4	1	3	2	1	Gottlieber, rf	4	0	0	1	0
Ayers, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	Sorey, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Bates, cf	4	0	0	1	0	Crosslin, lf	4	0	0	1	0
Kashi, lf	4	0	0	1	0	Burke, ss	4	0	0	1	2
Worth, ln, rf	4	0	1	1	0	Stradley, 2b	4	1	1	2	3
Dodd, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	Campbell, 3b	3	1	1	1	2
Hollis, 3	4	0	1	1	0	Sorey, 1b	3	0	1	9	0
Hansen, p	3	0	0	1	1	Leake, c	3	1	1	5	0
						Bonnelly, p	3	0	0	0	3
Totals	34	4	6	24	11	Totals	35	4	6	27	9

SCORE BY INNINGS

Arcadia	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4
Hits	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	6
Glendora	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	4
Hits	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	6

SUMMARY

Struck out, by Hansen, 5; Bonnelly, 8. Three-base hits—Hansen. Two-base hits, Campbell, Worthington, Sorey, Leake, 2. Time of game 1:40. Umpires, Bill Affleck, T. Kittlewell.

...TOR WILL CLAIM TITLE

...ne of O'Brien-Paluso Fight at Olympic Show to Ask for Lightweight Mitt Crown

...day before 11 o'clock Wednesday evening, the Pacific Coast ...ion a new lightweight champion of its broad and wide slope. ...ship-holder will be either ...being the hardest puncher of his ...weight, a man whose right hand ...has rolled up the second largest ...string of knockouts in his division, ...Tommy is also a super-fine boxer, ...the best championship timber ...when he is right.

Paluso has been likened to Young Griffo, the incomparable Australian by none other than Grantland Rice, the New York critic. Griffo was the master boxer of his time and Paluso is of today. Paluso hasn't an equal at aggressive boxing though Sid Terris, the New York dancing master, may be able to outstep him taking all directions, backwards and forwards, into consideration.

Paluso fought Terris four times on even terms. He pasted Frankie Farren into a bloody mess in Oakland, made Ace Hudkins look foolish at Vernon.

But Lou for all his boxing ability is also a fairly stiff puncher. He has knocked out Earl Baird and Bud Ridley among a string of others, strange though that may seem to Los Angeles spectators at his two battles here in the past.

GRID STAR WILL NOT BECOME PRO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

BOULDER (Colo.) Dec. 20.—William McGlone, star guard of the Colorado University football team the last two years, announced that he declined an offer to play professional football in Florida in the autumn of 1926.

OSPREY IS VICTOR AT TIA JUANA

Leslie Stable Favorite Wins Salvador Handicap On Border City Track

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TIA JUANA RACE TRACK, Dec. 20.—Osprey, the Leslie stable favorite, showed a clean pair of heels to a fast field here today to win the one and one-sixteenth miles Salvador Handicap, the feature race on the Sunday card, with apparent ease. The winner's time was 1:45, just two-fifths of a second above the track record for that distance.

Osprey took command at the half and held the lead safely the remainder of the distance. Cherry Tree closed gamely to take second position, but was not fast enough to overhaul the big winner. Contusion closed fast in the stretch to grab the show. All Over and Spic and Span made up ground all the way, proving easily best of the remainder.

Firm Friend started a brilliant stretch drive to finish first in the Los Angeles Handicap, the feature race for 3-year-olds, and won handily over Moonraker and Deep Thoughts, the two strong contenders.

Moonraker was in the first division all the way and grabbed off second place with a game finish. Deep Thoughts was also in the first group during the entire race, and finished strong to take the show. Firm Friend had too much speed and was able to keep a safe margin to the end. Results:

First race, five furlongs—Quesiana (L. Schaefer) won, Vandetary (Hunsaker) second, Our Boy (D. Neal) third. Time, 1:03 2-5.

Second race, six furlongs—Jago (Mendez) won, Kilauea (White) second, Ike Barrow (Jones) third. Time, 1:14.

Third race, one mile—Smiling (Sirvis) won, Chanzo (Buck) second, Wanlane (Rincon) third. Time, 1:43 4-5.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Rachael Potter (Mendez) won, Harold (Buck) second, Cotton (Ward) third. Time, 1:13 1-5.

Fifth race, one mile—Pethan (Burns) won, Chiffinet (Roberts) second, Rubber (Mendez) third. Time, 1:41 2-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Firm Friend (James) won, Moonraker (Smith) second, Deep Thoughts (Whitesell) third. Time, 1:15.

Seventh race, mile and one-sixteenth—Osprey (Feinseldt) won, Cherry Tree (Roberts) second, Contusion (White) third. Time, 1:45.

Eighth race, four and one-half furlongs—Queen Anne Marie (West) won, Rose Doris (Wells) second, Bazaar Rue (Marinad) third. Time, 1:48 4-5.

GONZAGA NEXT FOR CLUB TEAM

(Continued from First Page)

Sid Nichols of Occidental, one of the best backs in the business.

Second, Bill Blewett, the big gun of the club, wasn't at his best inasmuch as his mental condition was not of the best, due to the fact that his wife had undergone a major operation Saturday morning. Blewett waited around the hospital for some news as long as possible, arriving at the park in barely enough time to get into his suit. All of which wasn't conducive to bringing forth his best efforts.

ROYAL GIANTS WIN

Bunching hits on Charley Root in the fourth inning, the Philadelphia Royal Giants defeated the White King nine, 4 to 2, at White Sox Park yesterday. Twombly and Lindimore starred at bat, each getting a pair of hits. Root and Rojan each allowed six hits.

WHITE KINGS	AB	R	H	O	A	ROYAL GIANTS	AB	R	H	O	A
Durst, cf	4	0	1	3	0	Holloway, cf	4	1	1	3	0
Twombly, rf	4	1	2	2	0	Allen, 2b	4	1	1	1	3
Brazill, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	Carr, lb	4	0	1	10	1
Rood, lf	3	0	0	0	0	Mackey, ss	3	1	1	0	5
Lindimore, ss	3	1	2	1	2	Pullen, c	4	0	1	4	1
Jenkins, c	3	0	0	5	0	Rojan, p	3	1	2	1	3
Scott, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	Dixon, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Colvin, lb	4	1	1	9	0	Hubbard, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Root, p	3	0	0	0	2	Day, 3b	3	0	1	1	3
Grigas, x	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	31	3	6	24	8	Totals	31	4	9	27	15

x—Batted for Root in 9th, struck out.

SCORE BY INNINGS

White Kings	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
Royal Giants	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	9

EX-LIGHTWEIGHT KING

Benny Leonard, former holder of the world's championship, is in Los Angeles this week, appearing in an act at a local theater. Benny is every bit as good on the stage as he used to be in the ring—which is saying a lot.

BENNY LEONARD HERE

Former Lightweight Boxing Champion Visitor While Appearing at Local Theater

Benjamin Leinert, known to the boxing world as Benny Leonard, former lightweight champion of the universe, is a Los Angeles visitor today. The ex-king of the 135-pounders is appearing at a local theater for at least one week and will be a prominent personage about town for a few days.

Leonard won the lightweight title in 1917, knocking out Freddie Welsh in nine rounds. Fans, who dote on statistics, will remember that Leonard also knocked out Rocky Kansas, the man who is now recognized as the lightweight champion by virtue of his win over Jimmy Goodrich. Kansas lasted eight rounds with Benny in Michigan City in 1922, having been previously outpointed in a fifteen-round go during the same year.

Leonard retired about two years ago, saying that his mother wished him to leave the ring. Although there have been reports at various times to the effect that he would come out of retirement, Benny was stayed away from the squared circle.

LINEMEN BEAR BURDEN

U.S.C. Forwards Play Major Portion of Games Against Rivals During Long Season

To the linemen goes the assignment of bearing the major part of the burden in football, according to figures compiled yesterday by the managerial staff at the University of Southern California. From a check which is kept during each game on the playing time of every man it is shown that the linemen lead in the amount of time played.

The great part of the brunt is also carried by those in the center of the line for Brice Taylor and Ted Gorrell, Trojan guards, rank first and second in the total amount of playing time registered in thirteen games this season. Taylor played a total of 620 minutes and 5 seconds—more than ten hours—during the year. Gorrell turned in 599 minutes and 24 seconds.

DRURY EXCEPTION

The one exception in the list is that of Morley Drury, halfback, who was third high playing man with 591 minutes and 29 seconds. Captain-elect Jeff Cravath was fourth, having registered 552 minutes and 39 seconds for the season.

In Taylor's case it is shown that the dusky guard missed only 2 hours and 40 minutes of play out of a total of 12 hours of battling.

The two tackles on the Trojan squad rank fifth and sixth in line, Bill Friend with 540 minutes and 48 seconds and Kenny Cox with 496 minutes and 24 seconds. Al Behrendt, at end, played 468 minutes, 14 seconds, while Capt. Hobbs Adams, despite injuries, went through 415 minutes, 51 1-2 seconds of clashing.

Backfield men, excepting Drury, rank farther down the line. Kaer played only 319 minutes and 51 seconds in the thirteen games, but he piled up 114 points in that time. Cook, other regular quarterback, played 209 minutes and 6 seconds.

TAYLOR'S RECORD GOOD

Taylor's playing record was as follows: Whittier, 22 minutes, 18 seconds; Cal Tech., 59 minutes; Pomona, 27 minutes, 17 seconds; Utah, 48 minutes, 13 seconds; Stanford, 60 minutes; Arizona, 32 minutes, 37 seconds; Idaho, 38 minutes, 15 seconds; Santa Clara, 60 minutes; Montana, 58 minutes, 40 seconds; Iowa, 60 minutes; Washington State, 60 minutes; Oregon Aggies, 58 minutes, 37 seconds; St. Mary's, 60 minutes.

Gorrell and Taylor each played five full games, these being against Stanford, Santa Clara, Iowa, W.S.C. and St. Mary's in each case. Only in these five games did any remain in from starting kick-off to the final gun; the other eight games found the starting line-up completely substituted before the game ended.

DARO SEEKING CLASS

Promoter Lou Daro, hibernating over the week-end at Arrowhead Springs, hasn't lost touch with the grapplers and according to a telephone message to his aides in Los Angeles yesterday, will announce more dishes for the mat fans of Southern California when he returns this morning. He has already announced that John Pesek, "Nebraska Tiger," will meet Tommy Draak, Dutch champion, in the main event of his card scheduled for January 4.

With Pesek and Draak already signed, Daro is scouring the Middle West and the East for men to fill up his supporting card. The Bean Brummell of the mat racket expects to introduce several new faces in addition to his main event and lift the lid on the 1926 mat season with something like eclat.

Lou Daro

The arrival of Pesek next Sunday will be the signal for the gymnasium fans to crowd the Manhattan every afternoon. For several years the Nebraska man-killer has been in the public eye but he has never appeared on the Pacific Coast. His spectacular and sensational performances all over the country have made him one of the biggest drawing cards the wrestling game has ever known and Promoter Daro believes that another big crowd will watch his debut here.

Draak will also be in Los Angeles early next week. He has asked Daro to arrange for training partners for him to aid him to get ready for the Pesek contest. Draak has never yet had a chance at a titleholder but figures that a win over Pesek will force Promoter Daro to give him a shot at Joe Stecher.

SAGECHICK FIVE ENDS TRAINING

Pomona Frosh Basketball Men Enjoy Recess After Hard Grind

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

POMONA COLLEGE (Claremont) Dec. 20.—Christmas vacation will mean something special to fifteen Pomona freshman basketball players. The frosh hoopsters have undergone a strenuous training grind in the two weeks that they have been at work and the respite will be very welcome to the majority of them.

Coach Jesse Merritt sent his men up against a bunch of good high school quintets and played two games with La Verne College with the result that he has a squad pretty well picked and is all ready to begin on signals and teamwork when school opens again.

Walt Shannon, elongated Redlands athlete, captain and end on the yearling football eleven, has the center of the floor pretty well cinched. Cliff Ritter and Lee Mills, tiny Alhambra stars, are playing forward. Jack Alvord of Glendale and Bart Minor of Oakland are the guards. Alvord is about the only man on the team who isn't sure of his position since Bill Paine, who played on Chine High's Southern California championship team last year, is coming out for that position after Christmas, and should have a good chance.

JAPS NOSE OUT HAZARDS

Three runs in the ninth inning gave the Oliver Japanese ball team an 8-to-7 victory over the Hazard Athletic Club at Hazard Playground yesterday. Acevedo and Heindrle, both of the losing team, starred at bat with three and two hits apiece. The score:

Oliver Club	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	0
Hits	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	0
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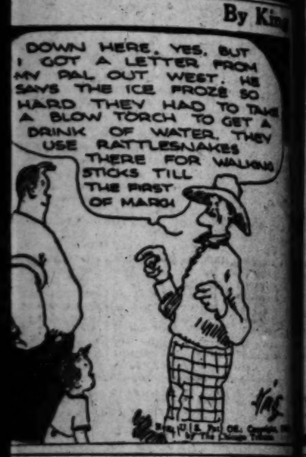

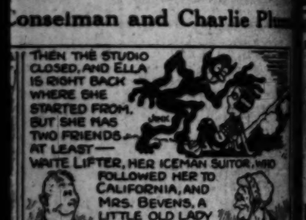

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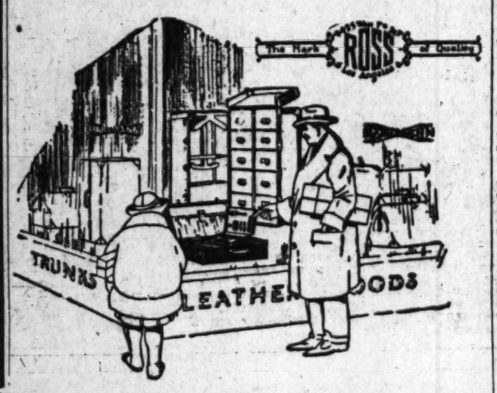

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Operating Records to Go to Board of Directors

September 30 Heavy Day, Million Cars Moved

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Ten new operating records were established by railroads in 1925 in handling the largest freight traffic that has ever been offered to them by the shippers. A report embodying the records is to be submitted to a meeting of the board of directors of the American Railway Association here tomorrow. Following are the high marks:

Handled the greatest freight traffic in history, measured by the number of cars loaded with revenue freight.

Through the year there were never less than 100,000 surplus freight cars and 4200 surplus locomotives in serviceable condition, thus eliminating transportation delays.

TRAFFIC GREATEST

Handled the greatest freight traffic for any month on record in October, when it amounted to 44,061,985,000 net ton miles, exceeding by 1.3 per cent the previous high record made in October, 1924.

Reached a total of 1,134,436 cars loaded for the week ending August 30, the greatest for any one week on record, exceeding by 12,091 cars the previous high record, made in the week of October 24, 1924.

The average daily movement of all freight cars in October was 823 miles, which exceeded by one and one-half miles the previous high record.

Loading of merchandise and miscellaneous freight, including less than carload lot freight, was the greatest during the year on record, exceeding by more than 1,000,000 cars the record of one year ago.

The thirtieth of September 1,090,893 freight cars were moved, the greatest number for any one day in history.

The average load of freight a train for the month of August was 796 tons, the highest ever attained, being an increase of twenty-six tons over the previous record made in October, 1924.

RAIL TAXES HIGHEST

Railroads' taxes amounted to $360,000,000, the highest for any one year on record.

Less fuel was consumed during the year in proportion to the amount of freight traffic handled than ever before.

The ability of the railroads to meet 1925 transportation demands without difficulty, the report states, has, to a considerable extent, been due to the large capital expenditures which have been made for improvements in the past few years, not only to their equipment but to the plant facilities.

It is estimated that for the entire year, 50,000,000 cars will have been loaded with revenue freight, exceeding 1924 by nearly 2,500,000 cars, or 5 per cent. For the first forty-nine weeks, loading of revenue freight amounted to 48,500,173 cars, an increase of 5.4 per cent over the same period last year. For the forty-nine weeks' period, loading of revenue freight exceeded 1,000,000 cars in nineteen separate weeks.

WATER THAT BURNS NEAR GREEN RIVER

Flames Shoot High in Air from Gaseous Pool Not Far from Seattle

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SEATTLE, Dec. 20.—Flames which shoot high in the air from a pool of cold, salty water, in Green River Canyon, thirty-six miles southeast of Seattle, are attracting much attention.

Water in the pool, which is about six feet in diameter, sometimes sinks almost out of sight. Then it rises, troubled with the gas passing through it. If a lighted match is thrown in while it is turbulent, fire rises.

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This phenomenon is near the bank of Green River, from which Tacoma gets its water supply. Although rumors of "water that burns" had been spread by Indians and hunters, the place was inaccessible until a road was built in last year.

SUIT COMPROMISED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

STOCKTON, Dec. 20.—After both sides practically had completed their case, a compromise out of court was decided upon in the suit of Reba Thompson and her minor son against Mrs. Myra Beecher and Miss Nova Beecher for loss arising from the death of Graham Thompson, husband of the plaintiff, in an auto accident. Mrs. Thompson sought $25,000 damages. Terms of the compromise were not given out.

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KING OF HEDJAZ GIVES UP CROWN

Move Forced by Collapse of Jedda Defense

Father Abdicated Throne Only Year Ago

Struggle Against Sultan of Nejd Failure

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PORT SUDAN (Egypt) Dec. 20. King Ali of the Hedjas, eldest son of King Hussein, who was forced to abdicate in October, 1924, has himself abdicated, owing to the collapse of the defenses of Jedda, invested y Ibn Saoud, Sultan of Nejd.

For many months, in fact since he succeeded his father on the throne of Hedjas, King Ali has been engaged in a desperate struggle to put down the opposition of Ibn Saoud, head of the sultanate of Nejd. Several days ago Ali was reported to be planning his escape from the invested city of Jedda, whence he fled after the Wahabis tribesmen under Ibn Saoud had captured the holy city of Medina.

The conflict between the Arabian states of Nejd and Hedjas actually began in 1919, and the warfare became more embittered early in 1924 when Hussein assumed the Califate, made vacant by the deposition of Sultan Abdul Majid by the Turks. A violent attack against Mecca, the capital of Hedjas, was begun by the Wahabis and when the city fell into the hands of Ibn Saoud, King Hussein, pressed to abdicate by the people of Jedda, relinquished the throne, having held it for eight years.

The Jedda notables then selected Ali as Hussein's successor, stipulating, however, that he was to be King of the Hedjas only. After evacuating Mecca, to avoid complete destruction of the Holy City and further bloodshed, Ali proceeded to make his armies ready for further attacks by the Wahabis. These came at Medina, and when that place fell, preparations were made at Jedda for its defense against the forces of Ibn Saoud.

It was not long before Jedda became invested and the target for sharp attacks by Ibn Saoud's tribesmen, so that Friday the defenses were declared virtually to have collapsed.

PERSISTENT "GHOSTS" ANNOYING HOUSEHOLD

"SPOOKS" ANNOUNCE INTENTIONS BY LETTER AND MYSTERY RAPPINGS FOLLOW

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

COVINGTON (Ky.) Dec. 20.—Persistent "ghosts" have been annoying Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walters, of 394 Altamont Road, for several nights. They declare they are "sick and tired" of it, and something is about to be done.

The "ghostly" visitations began in the form of mysterious rappings. The "spirits" had the effrontery to announce, by letter, their intentions to disrupt the peace and quiet of the Walters household. The letter had been thrust under the door of the kitchen.

"I will get you, Walters," the letter read. The chief "spook" did not sign his name, but illustrated his threat with a crude drawing of a skull and bones.

As the hour of midnight came Walters was reminded of the missive when he heard raps that seemed to come from the basement. Arming himself with a revolver, he searched the building and the basement, but could find no one. The rappings continued until 5 a.m., when for the time being, at least, it seems the "spooks" concluded to "call it a night."

PUNCTURES SPACE HAPHAZARDLY

Civilian Flyer Drops 1000 Feet Before Opening Parachute

[By a "Times" Staff Correspondent.]

PLAYA DEL REY, Dec. 20.—Heard McClellan, an aviator, made a drop of 1000 feet here today before opening his parachute, which may set a new record for civilian flyers. An army aviator holds the record at 2000 feet. McClellan set out from Clover Field in a plane piloted by Kenneth Montee, and when they passed the pier had reached an elevation of 5000 feet.

McClellan settled gently to the water about a mile offshore and was brought in by a boat, none the worse for his fall. Both aviators are members of the "Black Cats," an organization pledged to hazardous exploits.

Ship Sailing on Jinx Friday Has Unlucky Voyage

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20. Leaving this port on Friday November 13 contrary to all customs and traditions of the sea, the trip of the British steamer Woron as far as Honolulu has been unpleasantly eventful.

Just after passing Flattery signs of trouble between members of the crew were noted, but these did not culminate in an open fight until the ship was tossing in one of the worst storms on the Pacific when with the sea rolling mountain high the three Japanese and four Arab sailors decided to fight.

The more the ship rolled the harder they fought, with the result that the ship was damaged so badly by the storm she had to put into Honolulu and the sailors so badly hurt that some of them went to the hospital.

Opium Dropped in Harbor Taken by Authorities

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20. Opium valued at $17,000 dropped overboard by smugglers last week, was recovered from the bed of Coal Harbor in Burrard Inlet as a result of dragging operations by officers of a city police boat. The narcotics, 171 tins in a weighted sack, had been sunk near the transfer dock.

It was apparently thrown into the water when smugglers were alarmed while at work. Police search began when, having learned that an attempt had been made to land a consignment of opium, the officers became suspicious of actions of men near where the narcotics were found.

Testimony May Begin Today in Trial of Harder

Testimony is expected to begin today in the trial of L. T. Harder charged before Judge Keetch with the murder of J. W. Luther. The jury will be completed and sworn this morning.

Harder is said to have shot and killed Luther in front of the latter's home ater finding that Luther had been friendly with Mrs. Harder. Dep. Dist.-Atty. Costello said the death penalty will be asked. Harder, through his attorney, Henry G. Huntington, will attempt to prove self-defense and may call on an unwritten law to show the slaying justified.

SANTA FE MAY BUY TEXAS GULF ROAD

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

JERMYN (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Negotiations are said to be pending for the sale of the Gulf, Texas and Western Railroad to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe for a proposed consideration of $3,000,000. The line runs between Salesville and Seymour, 100 miles. If the transaction is consummated, the road will be used by the Santa Fe as a link in its prospective line that is to run from some point on its system in the South Plains of Northwest Texas to Fort Worth, it is stated. The Gulf, Texas and Western was constructed several years ago by Pennsylvania coal interests. It is now being operated by S. W. F. Knox of Dallas as receiver.

GIRL'S PRESENCE OF MIND SAVES SISTER

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TEMPLE (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Rare presence of mind on the part of Ina Bell Bruner, 5 years of age, saved her sister Dorothy, 4, from a horrible death by fire. Dorothy, while playing with matches, ignited her dress and her frantic efforts to extinguish the flames with her bare hands proved futile. It was at this juncture that Ina Bell appeared and tore off the blazing dress. Both children were burned about the hands, face and body, but not dangerously. They are children of Pinkin Bruner of Temple, Tex.

BERKELEY PROFESSOR TO ADDRESS MEETING

BERKELEY, Dec. 20.—Arthur Star Eakle, professor of mineralogy at the University of California, has left for New Haven, Ct., where he will attend the annual meeting of the Mineralogical Association of America, of which organization he is president. He will preside and deliver the outstanding address at the session which opens the 28th inst. Prof. Eakle is a fellow of the Geological Society of America, which will hold a joint conference with the mineralogical association.

RED BLAMES PACT FIASCO ON AMERICA

Stalin Denounces United States as Causing Wreck of Anglo-Russ Treaty

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

MOSCOW, Dec. 20.—M. Stalin, member of the executive committee of the Communjty party and known as Russia's "strong silent man," today delivered a five-hour speech before the All-Russian Communist Congress. He blamed the United States for the failure to arrange an Anglo-Russian treaty, declaring the United States was afraid to establish the precedent of non-payment, or only partial payment of international debts, a precedent which, if applied to countries owing the United States would cause the latter to lose billions of dollars.

"While we still adhere to our decree annulling all prerevolution loans," declared M. Stalin, "we are ready to make certain exceptions for England and France, repaying a small part of our debts to them in order to get some advantageous return. We are not averse to compensating former owners of property in Russia by means of concessions, but the condition of the concessions must not enslave Russia.

"We worked out with Premier MacDonald (Great Britain,) an agreement on this basis, but the plan finally was wrecked by the United States, which feared the precedent would be invoked by other debtor countries."

It was contended by M. Stalin that the present concentration of the financial might of the world in the United States would result eventually in the United States challenging Great Britain at arms for possession of the world's oil fields.

'Royal Tom Boy' in London for Birthday Party

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

LONDON, Dec. 20. — Queen Maud of Norway, who, as the gayest of King Edward's daughters, was known as "the royal Tom Boy," celebrated her fifty-sixth birthday anniversary in London where she has been visiting relatives.

Old attendants of the royal household of years ago still are fond of relating to their friends some of the pranks and informal doings which often caused the name of the Princess to be placed in the black books kept by the strict court disciplinarians.

While Queen Maud as a girl, was often referred to the the "Royal Tom-Boy," her sister, Louise, the Princess Royal, to this day retains her title, given her by her brother, King George—"Her Royal Shyness," because of her aversion to publicity.

CHAMBER TAKING VOTE

Nation-Wide Referendum on Resale Price Legislation

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The Chamber of Commerce of the United States is taking a referendum among its members to determine its official attitude toward legislation respecting maintenance of resale prices.

The proposals upon which the 1400 organizations have been asked to express their views included questions as to the advisability of Federal legislation "permitting the seller of identified merchandise sold under competitive conditions under a distinguishing name, trademark or brand, to control the resale price therefor," if so whether it should take the form of permitting contracts for the maintenance of resale prices; whether Congress should enact legislation bringing under the law of unfair competition "the cutting of the seller's declared price which results in misappropriating or injuring good will attaching to articles identified as to their origin," and whether certain restrictive provisions should apply if legislation should be enacted permitting contracts for maintenance of resale prices.

NOTED RABBI LAUDS TEACHINGS OF JESUS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Rabbi Stephen S. Wise in a sermon today asserted that Jesus of Nazareth was a man, and that the Jews must embrace the teachings of Jesus. If Christianity is impractical and unattainable, as the Jews say it is, said Dr. Wise, then it is because the Christians have failed to live up to Jesus's teachings. He declared these teachings comprise a code of ethics unparelleled in any writings in history, being the very foundations of morality.

MANTECA TRADE BODY CHOOSES DIRECTORS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

STOCKTON, Dec. 20.—New directors elected to serve on the Manteca Chamber of Commerce board of directors are E. E. Douglass, Guss Schmeidt, William F. Stretch, Dr. L. E. Trethewey, C. L. Hughes and Roy Gates. In a primary election, twelve members of the chamber qualified as candidates. The new board will meet and organize, January 5, 1926.

MISSIONARY DIES AT SEA

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PLYMOUTH (Eng.) Dec. 20.—An American missionary, Rev. Martin Muellers, 65 years of age, died aboard the liner Columbus, which sailed from New York December 16.

KILLS WIFE AND DAUGHTER

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

ORANGE (N. J.) Dec. 20. — Anthony Marano today shot and killed his wife, Julia, and his baby daughter, and seriously wounded a 14-year-old stepdaughter, Anna Grieco, and then fled.

WIFE OF SENATOR DIES

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Simon D. Fess, wife of the Senator from Ohio, died here today.

HINDU NAMED AS SECOND CHRIST

[P. & A. Photo]

J. Krishnamurti

CULT WAITS REDEEMER'S APPEARANCE

Theosophists Gather at Madras, India, for Christ's Second Coming Foretold

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MADRAS (India) Dec. 20.—What they hail as the most important event in history is being awaited by the Theosophists, who are already gathering at Adyar, Madras, for the coming of a second Jesus as Christmas approaches.

Thousands from far and near are traveling to Madras, India, because Mrs. Annie Besant, who is nearly 80 years of age, and who is called the "Grand Old Lady of India," has assured them that either at Christmas or about five months after the Star of Bethlehem will rise in the firmament again.

According to advices the Christ will be reincarnated in the person of a 30-year-old graduate of Oxford University, a Hindu, by name J. Krishnamurti, a widely known humanitarian and author, having written "At the Feet of the Master," at 13 years of age, and it was hailed as a masterpiece.

Because of this volume and the fact that at 30 he is the same age that Christ was when he began his teachings, Mrs. Besant believes in his coming "sanctification."

Capri's Beauty Turns Suicides Into Wedding

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ISLAND OF CAPRI (Italy.) Dec. 20.—Like Scylla and Charybdis of Greek mythology, this beautiful island, whose rugged cliffs rise sheerly out of the azure waters of the Bay of Naples, has sirens. But its enchantresses, unlike those whom Homer described as tempting voyagers to their doom, recall men and women from shadows of despair.

At least, Karl Auberger and Anna Tschol, both Germans, aver that the sirens saved. Auberger and Fraulein Tschol came here separately, each intending to commit suicide because of a series of misfortunes.

They met on the cliffs and there confided in each other. Soon, under the spell of Capri's beauty, they forgot their original intention and decided to face life again—together.

When they told their story to Italian officials, financial assistance to return to Germany was given them.

PASTOR, EIGHTY-ONE, CONDUCTS WEDDING

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SWEETWATER (Tex.) Dec. 20. Rev. J. C. Moore, retired Methodist pastor, recently celebrated his eighty-first birthday by performing a marriage ceremony, which is nothing unusual for this hale and hearty veteran of the Civil War, with a fifty-three-year record as a soldier of the gospel to his credit. Moore has served in three Methodist conferences under nine presiding elders. He has preached in nearly every town in West Texas as well as some in East Texas and Tennessee. He was a circuit rider out of Colorado for years, covering his seventy-mile round every week in a buggy in the early days and sometimes going on horseback.

FABRIC EXPOSITION TO OPEN NEXT FEBRUARY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Plans for the most interesting fabric exposition ever conducted in America are now in the making. On February 23, 1926, Washington's Birthday, the great doors of Grand Central Palace, New York, will be thrown open to welcome merchants and buyers and the general public to the International Fabric Exposition and Merchants' Conference. The exposition will include exhibits from many famous silk, cotton, wool, rayon and linen mills. One of the most interesting features will be an educational exhibit of silk. A complete silk manufacturing unit will be installed.

TWO DIE IN PUEBLO FIRE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PUEBLO (Colo.) Dec. 20.—Mrs. Margaret Warren, 48 years of age, and Miss Cleda Hubbard, 16, lost their lives in a fire which destroyed an apartment house today.

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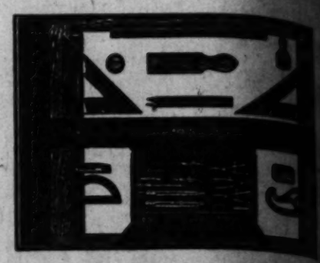

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NEW HONOR FOR HERO SCIENTIST

Joseph Barcroft Receives Cambridge Appointment

Risked Life in Glass Cell to Settle Dispute

Turned Blue During Course of Novel Experiment

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The appointment of Joseph Barcroft as professor of physiology to Cambridge University recalls that he was the hero some time ago in a daring scientific experiment during which he remained for a week locked in a glass chamber, until he turned blue all over.

His purpose was to settle a dispute between rival Cambridge and Oxford scientists concerning the physio-chemical properties of the blood. The Cambridge group, led by Barcroft, held there was not enough oxygen in the blood to compensate for the loss of air in certain circumstances, while Prof. Haldane of Oxford led the opposing group.

Barcroft devised the experiment of remaining in a glass cell while the air was pumped out. A motor was used to clean the vitiated air he had breathed, and had it not functioned properly Barcroft would have been overcome.

Relays of students watched the motor day and night to lessen the danger. Barcroft thus achieved an atmosphere found only at extremely high altitudes, which he analysed during his self-imprisonment, making notes of its effects upon him.

One effect was his turning blue. Analysts of his blood when he left the cell settled the dispute in favor of Cambridge.

Two years ago Barcroft went on a tour of investigation in a Peruvian silver mine located on a mountain, where the miners were all blue because of working at a 16,000-foot altitude. During the war he directed the government's experiments on war gases. His study of the blood is expected to bring improved treatment of lung troubles.

Coal Operators to Meet Miners and Civic Group

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.) Dec. 20. The subscale committee of the anthracite operators' conference today accepted the invitation of the committee of Mayors and Burgesses of the anthracite fields to attend a meeting in Scranton tomorrow with the committee and the miners' subscale committee, provided "any plan may be presented for consideration" which may bring about a termination of the suspension.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—All organized labor bodies in the United States today were appealed to by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, to go to the financial aid of the anthracite miners, who have been on strike since last September.

'Billy' Sunday Declares Rum Down for Count

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—The Rev. William (Billy) Sunday, evangelist, returned today to Chicago, where he was converted thirty-seven years ago, to deliver three fiery attacks on modernists and rum.

"Science and religion never can be reconciled," he said at Moody Church, in attacking modernism in religion. "If we're going to believe these modernists who attack old-time religion, we might just as well tear down our churches.

"Demon rum has been knocked out," he continued, "he's whipped. Prohibition is here to stay."

VETERAN JUSTICE OF PEACE DIES IN TEXAS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Judge Ben S. Fisk, 63 years of age, justice of the peace, died suddenly at his home here following a heart attack. He held what is believed to be a record in the United States, if not in the world, for the number of weddings in which he officiated during his nineteen-year term as justice. A recent survey of his record showed that from the time he took office on November 21, 1906, he had read the marriage ceremony for nearly 9400 couples.

AUSTERE HUSBAND ACCUSED BY WIFE

Suddenly Thomas Franklin Hillborn became "cold and austere" in his demeanor toward Isabel Hillborn, she related in her suit for divorce, on file in the office of the County Clerk. Strangely "austere" was his conduct, as described in the complaint. For Hillborn, his wife says, in his austerity, threw her out of their automobile at Washington Boulevard and Western avenue while they were driving one evening. He had another love, she declared, whom he described to her as being more "cultured" than she was.

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Men accustomed to paying MORE for GOOD SUITS should not overlook this offer, even though they can afford to. Wise business judgment demands that they give me their attention. My contention that these are the biggest VALUES in tailored suits can be verified upon their inspection, and these men will find here the chance to put the price of ONE suit, into TWO SUITS, and each suit will have an extra pair of pants.
The tailoring technique of JOHN WRIGHT is well known to thousands of men in Southern California. And in these "SUPER VALUE" offerings, the distinctive, high-class workmanship of John Wright will become even more conspicuous, because the materials are of a finer quality than I have ever been able to purchase for my regular stock. Make it a point to come in early and see these values.

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That my ambition has been realized, is attested to by the fact that today I am doing the largest volume of tailoring business in the City of Los Angeles with these TWO PANTS SUITS.
I am making these comparisons because I want you men who do not know me personally, to know that not only hundreds, but THOUSANDS, of well dressed men have exercised their judgment, have appraised the standard of my work, and have ordered their suits made by ME because they STOOD UP TO THE STANDARD OF THEIR ESTIMATION OF WHAT A REALLY GOOD SUIT WITH TWO PAIRS OF PANTS OUGHT TO BE.
In this special offer of SUPER-VALUES, I have gone beyond the regular high standard of John Wright values. I am putting into these suits WOOLEN MATERIALS THAT ARE ON A PAR WITH THAT USED IN THE MAKING OF SUITS SELLING FOR UPWARD OF $70. These materials alone could have been disposed of at a handsome profit, but the extensive publicity advantages, and the fact that I wanted to break all previous sales records, prompted me to make these materials up into the finest two pants suits ever sold in this city for the price, by myself or anyone else.
It is an offer that merits the attention of every man who through good business judgment wants to economize. It is an offer to the man who wants to change oftener, to buy a perfect fitting suit with two pairs of pants, at a price that is trifling—$34.
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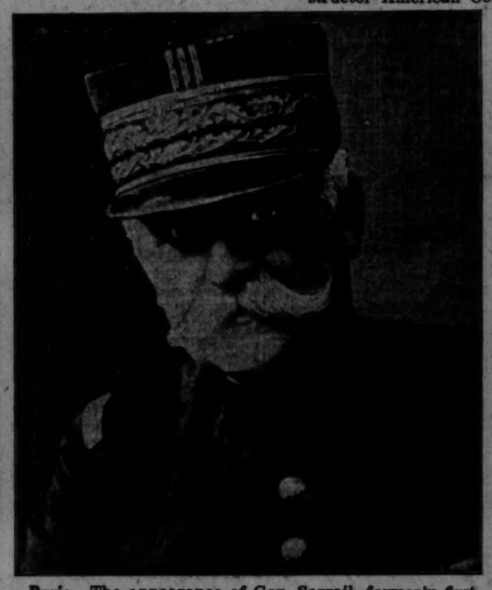
British Army of Occupation at Cologne Leaves German Soil

Cologne (Germany)—With muffled drums and without the usual military pomp and ceremony, the British army of occupation in Cologne has evacuated the city—one of the first important results of the Locarno Treaty. Photo at left shows British "Tommies" in one of the famous "8 chevaux 40 hommes" which is to take them on the first stage of their journey to London. At right, "Tommies" bidding farewell to fraulein. (P. & A. photos.)

Damascus (Syria)—Insurrectionists are forming in bands on the Turkish ... the boundary line north of Aleppo, presumably for the purpose of ... that point, according to news dispatches. Photo shows the famous ... Aleppo, now held by the French. (Photo courtesy E. P. Whitney, ... structor American College at Beirut.)

Tokio (Japan)—All Japan is rejoicing over the birth of an heir of the imperial house, which was presented by the Crown Princess. Photo shows Prince and Princess Kuni, the proud grandparents, taken shortly before the happy event occurred. (P. & A. photo.)

London—According to the Manchester Chronicle, the Duchess of York is expecting her first baby, the date of arrival being set for March. The Duke of York, pictured with the Duchess above, is the second son of King George and Queen Mary of England. (P. & A. photo.)



Paris—The appearance of Gen. Sarrail, formerly first in command of the French forces in Syria, in the Chamber of Deputies late last week precipitated a riot in which the crash of inkwells and ballot boxes mingled with cries of "assassin" and "blackguard." Photo shows Gen. Sarrail. (P. & A. photo.)

Rome—While thousands of his subjects ... him, the King of Italy unveiled a statue ... the people in his honor here a few days ... occasion was said to be the first time a king ... unveiled a statue to himself. Photo ... shortly after ceremonies. (P. & A. photo.)

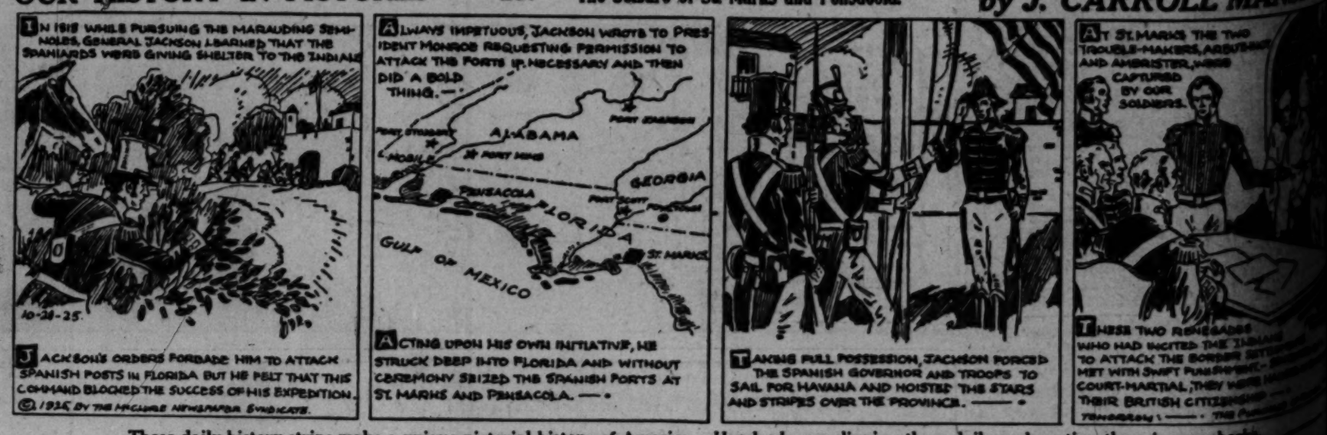
Constantinople—While the possibility of war between Turkey and Great Britain over the mandate for the rich oil region of Mosul is daily diminishing, Turkey has not given up hope of regaining the territory and will probably never relinquish claim. Photo shows King Feisal of Irak, ruler of the disputed region. (P & A. photo.)

Moscow—A. J. Rykoff, the Russian President, is pictured above in the act of greeting the crowds during the recent celebrations in the Russian capital. The President is the figure with hand aloft. At his left is Hohou-Hohan-Miu, the general of the Canton army. (P. & A. photo.)

New York—Almost every liner that touches at this port these days brings its quota of titled and royal Russians, the latest of the Russ aristocracy to arrive being Prince Valdimir Galitzine (above,) former aide to Grand Duke Nicholas. (P. & A. photo.)

OUR HISTORY IN PICTURES 287 The Seizure of St. Marks and Pensacola.

by J. CARROLL MANSFIELD



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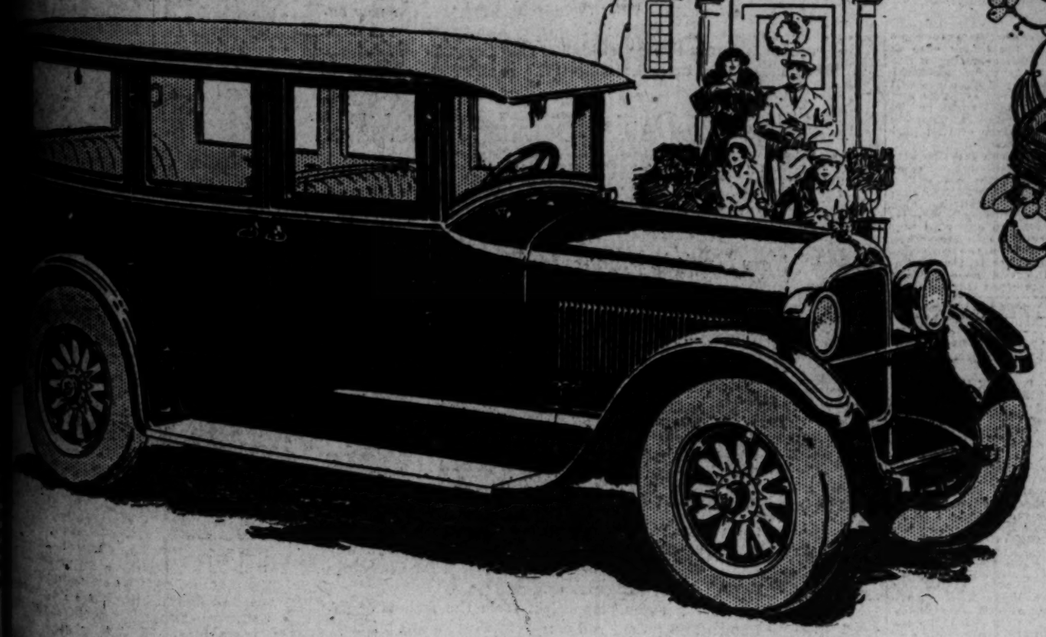

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PURE FOOD ACT TERMED FARCE

Civil Service Reform League Explodes Bomb

Inspection Negligible Under Politicians, Report Says

Department of Agriculture Flayed as Biased

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—After a year's study of conditions throughout the country, the National Civil Service Reform League announced tonight that it had reached the conclusion that food inspection in the United States was "practically negligible from a public-health standpoint."

The league said it found that the inspection was being done in many instances "by plumbing inspectors, sheriffs and petty politicians," who were unable even to suspect—much less detect—modern methods of disguising bad foods." More than half of the inspectors in the States and cities covered by the investigation, it explained, went into their positions "without adequate training or experience."

"The trusting confidence of the American public in the efficiency of laws," the report said, "was never more clearly shown nor more grossly betrayed than in the matter of food inspection.

"We have enacted 'pure-food' laws and ordinances, therefore, presumably we have 'pure food,' but between the law and the pure food lies a most important, though seldom recognized, factor—the human element charged with the interpretation and the administration of these laws and ordinances."

This element, it declared, was "given great power of discretion, power to make rules and regulations to an extent practically nullifying intent of the law, subject to overwhelming commercial and political pressure."

Asserting that the work of food inspection has been found to be not always the function of health departments, "but often of mayors, selectmen, city managers, departments of agriculture and even of park departments," the report said:

"An anomaly which perhaps has prevented the Federal meat inspection law from being of greater effect is the fact that its administration is placed in the hands of the Department of Agriculture, a department whose primary purpose is to promote agriculture and to further the intents of the farmer and cattle raiser. It is doubtful if these are, in the main, sufficiently broadminded to consider the condemnation of their products because of decay or tuberculosis affecting their interests."

SLOW GAIT ANNOYS PASSENGER

So Fair Fare Takes Shot at Driver

[P. & A. Photo]

Miss Ruth Keeney

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Miss Ruth Keeney, a blond-haired Chicago flapper, is highly temperamental. Little things annoy her.

When the driver of a taxicab in which the girl was riding several days ago, paid no heed to her repeated commands for more speed, she produced a gun and took a shot at the inconsiderate chauffeur. Fortunately, her aim, like her disposition, was erratic, and the astonished driver escaped with a flesh wound.

"He annoyed me with his slow driving," the girl explained coolly when she was placed in a cell, charged with attempted homicide.

LOWDEN URGES FARM-AID PLAN

Illinoisan Cites Reserve Board as Model

Disposition of Surplus Held Crux of Problem

Ex-Governor Sees Co-operation as Key to Success

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Frank O. Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, now recognized as the leader of an agrarian movement in the Middle West, looking toward a definite solution of the farm-relief problem on progressive lines, has come forward with a suggestion for a Federal farm board which will utilize government resources for the farmer as the Federal reserve board aids the banks.

It is not a government price-fixing scheme, such as was frowned upon by President Coolidge in his recent address to the Farm Bureau Federation, but it is far ahead of any measure yet outlined by the administration and gives a significant turn to the farm-relief problem, which looms as one of the major problems of the administration and even projects its shadow into the next Presidential campaign.

"This is a tremendous national problem," said Mr. Lowden. "The nation has the power to solve it. I do not yield to the depressing view that this Republic, through failure to reach a sound agrarian policy, has begun to decay and must go down as other republics have gone down."

URGES NATIONAL SURVEY

A national inventory, a grappling with the problem in a brave Roosevelt an way, is Mr. Lowden's idea of the gravity of this situation. He does not believe the farmer can ever go back to his independence as a unit in civilization, or that the farmers will ever be able to solve the problem for themselves. Farming has become commercial, he thinks, and it must be handled on a broad commercial basis, along nonpolitical lines.

The crux of the problem seems to be the disposition of surplus crops. It is here that the radicals have taken their stand in such bills as the McNary-Haugen measure.

Mr. Lowden points out what other nations have done. He has been studying this situation for five years. The coffee growers of Brazil have established their prices, he says, and the British government has come to the aid of the rubber planters in their eastern colonies, with effects felt by the American farmer.

BANKING SYSTEM CITED

"The Federal Reserve banking system was formed to mobilize the credits of the country so that they could be used at any time at the point needed," said Mr. Lowden.

"Isn't there some way by which the surplus of farm products can be mobilized and thus be made to serve the future?

"If we can accomplish in point of time for the farm surpluses what we have accomplished in point of place for the credit resources of the country, we will have overcome largely our troubles.

"I suggest a Federal Farm Board. Suppose that board finds that the producers of any farm commodity are sufficiently organized so as to be really representative of all the producers of that commodity. Suppose that when it has ascertained this fact it authorizes such producers to form a corporation for taking care of the surplus, either storing it to meet a possible future domestic need or exporting it upon the best terms available, the expenses and losses incurred in storage or in export to be borne proportionately by all the producers of that particular commodity.

"Such a board can function successfully only if it is operated through co-operative commodity associations. It can expect to prevent ruinous overproduction only in co-operation with such associations. It is vital to any plan that it be so formed as to strengthen and not to weaken the co-operative movement, for in that movement lies the best hope for the future of American agriculture."

RUSSIAN TEACHER DIES

Professor at Oxford, Once Lecturing In America, Passes Away

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The death is announced at Paris of Sir Paul Vinogradoff, corpus professor of jurisprudence, Oxford University, since 1903. Recently the University of Paris conferred a high degree on him.

Paul Vinogradoff was born at Kostroma, Russia, in 1854. He was professor in Moscow and gave his attention to the spread of instruction in Russia, but resigned his chair because of conflict with the authorities and went to England. He lectured in Harvard and other American universities in 1907 and held the degree of LL.D. from Harvard. He delivered lectures in 1913 at Johns Hopkins, the University of Michigan and the University of California.

PEER'S HOUSE ROBBED OF $150,000 JEWELS

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The house of Lord Inverforth, British shipping magnate, on the outskirts of London, was entered by burglars Saturday night while the family was in the residence, and $150,000 worth of jewels stolen from a safe in Lady Inverforth's bedroom. The thieves entered the estate, felled a fir tree and carried it to an open wing of the house, then reared it as a ladder against the balcony of the first floor. As Christmas carols were being played on the other side of the house no one heard them.

ACTRESS' SUIT FOR $100,000 SETTLED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The $100,000 suit brought in Supreme Court two years ago by the former Violet Colby, a light opera singer, against her husband, John E. Liggett, grandson of the founder of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company; Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., and George F. Naphen, has been settled out of court, it was announced tonight. Mrs. Liggett was said to have been paid a considerable portion of her claim against the brokerage firm of Liggett & Drexel for $84,247 and interest, which, she said, she advanced the firm to save it from bankruptcy in 1918 and 1919.

AMBASSADOR MOORE GIVEN GREAT SEND-OFF

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

MADRID, Dec. 20.—Alexander P. Moore, retiring American Ambassador to Spain, was given a [illegible] when he left [illegible] his way home. [illegible] was crowded [illegible] en headed [illegible] and his [illegible] Ambassador [illegible] Nuncio [illegible] of [illegible] ed. [illegible] or [illegible] t- [illegible] is [illegible] of [illegible] resi- [illegible] ered [illegible] t the [illegible] mpany [illegible] today. [illegible] d 1200 [illegible] o one was [illegible]

MITCHELL INELIGIBLE TO NEW YORK POLICE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Although Mayor-elect Walker made no official announcement tonight concerning the proposal of Representative Sol Bloom that Col. William Mitchell be appointed Police Commissioner of New York, it was learned from persons close to Mr. Walker that under no conditions would the suspended army officer be considered for the post.

Col. Mitchell, it was pointed out, is not a resident of New York City, a qualification which Mr. Walker announced necessary for the new police department head. The Mayor-elect has also stated that he would not appoint a professional soldier to the post.

NATIONS REPRESENTED

Leaves on Capital Grounds Form World Tree Collection

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—Leaves of all nations unite in the fertilizer used to keep trees and plants of the State Capitol's thirty-acre park looking their best. Fallen from the cork tree from Spain, the yews from Ireland and the hundreds of other specimens gathered from all parts of the world for planting on the Capitol grounds, this year's crop of leaves raked together and stored as fertilizer amounts to approximately sixty tons.

The leaves are piled on a vacant lot, successive layers being weighted down with earth and "salted" with quick lime. After the rains have soaked the pile and the leaves are well rotted, the resultant fertilizer is carted back to the Capitol grounds and put to work.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20. — Charles Edward Yerkes, son of the late Charles Tyson Yerkes, railroad magnate, died here today of pneumonia. He was 63 years of age.

The greatest forty-year record of growth in the history of the world. Let your eastern friends read about it in the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1.

WELLS SOURED ON AIR SERVICE

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—H. G. Wells, who wrote fascinatingly about airplanes before there were any such things, has a poor opinion of flying. He was asked to write on the future of flying for the magazine, Airways, and he replied through his secretary: "Mr. Wells feels that he can say nothing worth saying about aviation. To judge by existing services which he has found to be unpunctual, untrustworthy and inconsiderate to the ordinary passenger, there is very little future for aviation."

Berenger Sails January 6 for American Post

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Henry Berenger, the newly appointed French Ambassador to the United States, will leave for his post January 6.

M. Berenger will take up the matter of the funding of the French war debt soon after he reaches Washington.

WILL REVEALS BANKER WAS KILLED BY LION

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Through filing of his will here it became known today that Bernard Percival de Watterville, noted banker, naturalist and artist, of Berne, Switzerland, was fatally injured by a lion near Uganda on the Congo border in Africa last October. He died soon afterward. With his young daughter he was collecting specimens for a Berne museum.

PARIS READY FOR WILD [illegible]

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Feazed not at all by the skyrocketing prices, Paris is about to celebrate a Christmas Eve that will pale all previous outbursts of post-war abandon.

The great hotels and famous night clubs in Montmatre announce in the same breath that their prices will be 50 per cent higher than last year and their table reservations are almost twice as heavy for the night that Paris makes lurid when the rest of the world is hanging up its stocking.

Its nerves tense after the autumn political and financial alarms, which came to a head just a few days ago when revolution's ominous visage was seen in every cloud, Paris will blow off the lid Thursday night.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The approach of Christmas and the new year finds Germany deep in the winter of her discontent. Judging by the newspapers and the utterances of government officials and politicians and even of plain business men, the Reich is on the edge of the abyss and likely to [illegible] topple over [illegible] astrophe [illegible]

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STATE ORANGE [illegible] FOR CHRISTMAS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—Claus called at the [illegible] fice today and [illegible] the Capitol [illegible] other way of [illegible] Christmas [illegible] the trees on the Capitol [illegible] being picked and [illegible] ous orphanages [illegible] ping distance of [illegible]

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STATE ORANGE CRO... FOR ORPHAN WA...

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—... Claus called at the Gover... fice today and received the ... the Capitol orchard, which ... other way of saying the ... Christmas crop of oranges ... the trees on the Capitol ... being picked and sent to the ... ous orphanages within easy ... ping distance of Sacramento.

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PRISONER TELLS OF 'LOST RACE'

Former Mining Engineer Long in South America

Asserts Strange People Seek to Avoid Discovery

Declares Medallions Bear Greek Characters

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 20.—In the opinion of G. A. Burton, an inmate of the Nebraska penitentiary who asserts he was a member of a South American exploring party a half dozen years ago, Col. Fawcett, now searching for "a lost white race" in the jungles of South America, has not more than one chance in a million of finding it.

Burton is a mining engineer who says he has been all over the southern continent, was with an expedition that spent five years in the jungles. He said that the remnant of the party stumbled upon these white people after they had been years in the interior and after several members of it had been killed by hostile Indians and others had met death from the insect and physical perils of the journey. He insists that the lost race does not want to be found, and that he and the other survivors were imprisoned for a long time by them.

They live in a valley surrounded by high mountains, over which strict guard and watch are maintained. He says the ranges are impassable and that his party accidentally came into contact with them by penetrating a tunnel dug through the mountain by a river. The expedition was hopelessly lost at the time. He thinks they are in Northwestern Brazil not far from the Peru border.

The legend as it was told him in Lima was that they are one of the lost tribes of Israel that landed on the west coast of Peru and worked their way into the interior. They are supposed to have a civilization much higher than that of the Aztecs. He says they are sun worshipers, and that they wear medallions showing Greek and Roman characters, which is taken as proof of their contact with the early great civilizations.

Burton says they were finally allowed to go, and that he and the others came out at the mouth of the Amazon. Most of them were delirious from fever and the insect poisons administered them by great hordes of flies that infest the upper Amazon.

HOLD-UP LAID TO FRIEND'S 'DARE'

Youth and Girl Rob Taxicab Driver at Point of Guns

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20.—"I was dared to do it."

That was the explanation advanced by Harold Mawson, 20 years of age, for the fact that he and Margaret Young, 19, had held up a taxi driver at the point of guns, robbed him of several dollars and left him bound and tied to a tree in a lonely district.

Mawson said he and the girl wished to show their friends that they had nerve enough to carry out a robbery. The hold-up was perpetrated after the young people had been pasengers in the taxi for some distance.

Judge Cayley in County Court sentenced Mawson to one year in jail and released the girl with a warning.

BRITON SEES WAR CLOUDS OVER MOSUL

Former State Secretary Warns of Dangers From Geneva Pact With Turks

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A strong protest against the Geneva Mosul settlement will be published in the Daily Mail tomorrow by Cecil Harmsworth, who was Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs from 1919 to 1922, the period when the British mandates for Mesopotamia and Palestine were created.

Under the caption "Playing With War," Mr. Harmsworth says, "In my considered judgment, the arrangements just concluded open up to the most dangerous prospect that has confronted this country since the great war."

Urging the government to retreat from its dangerous position, Mr. Harmsworth contends that it would be madness to accept responsibility for twenty-five years at the risk of passive, or active antagonism between Great Britain and a "formidable military power," when any moment might bring and incident menacing war.

Arguing that Great Britain would fight with every disadvantage in Mesopotamia, and that an amicable working arrangement with Turkey would be worth far more to Mesopotamia than any boundary, strategic or otherwise, he asserts that the Geneva award was purposely made provisional to allow an opportunity for reconsideration. He appeals to the government to return to the policy of quitting Mesopotamia, as originally intended, in 1923. He deprecates the idea that Turkey is bluffing, and remarks how often that idea has led to war.

Spirit Slayers From Prison to Avoid Lynching

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CLARKSDALE (Miss.) Dec. 20. Two negroes, John Fischer and Ray Ford Leonard, under conviction for the murder of Grover Nicholas, a plantation store manager, last October 15, were believed to have been removed from the Coahoma County Jail late today and taken to another prison for safe keeping, following the lynching here last night of their asserted accomplice, Lindsey Coleman, negro.

Coleman was taken from Sheriff Glass a few minutes after his acquittal by a jury, and shot to death within the shadow of the jail building.

AMERICAN COMMITS SUICIDE IN FRANCE

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 20. — An American, Miss Isabelle Savary, 29 years of age, committed suicide at Lyons today by leaping from the bridge into the Saone River. Miss Savary was severely injured in an accident recently and with her mother took a taxicab to a clinic where preparations were made to amputate her leg. Stopping the taxi near the bridge, Miss Savary hobbled away from her mother, saying she wished to buy something at a neighboring store, but laying her crutches and hand bag against a railing, she suddenly cast herself into the stream.

FLORIDA AIR LINE BEGINS SERVICE SOON

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DETROIT, Dec. 20.—A new company, Florida Airways, Inc., using Ford all-metal airplane, will open service between Tampa and Miami January 1, it was announced here today. It is the first large purely commercial venture in air transportation in America by Americans, officials said. Capt. Edward Rickenbacker is president and general manager; Maj. William A. Robertson is vice-president in charge of operations, and Lieut. John Harding, who took part in the round-the-world flight, is in charge of maintenance.

How would you describe the desert and the sea and the charm of Southern California? Let Zane Grey do it for you by sending your friends copies of the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1.

Bureau Briefs

PUBLISHED BY THE BUREAU *of* POWER *and* LIGHT — LOS ANGELES

First High Voltage Line in U. S. California Product.

The first high-voltage, long distance transmission in the United States, considered a daring innovation in its day, operated at 10,000 volts and extended from a hydro-electric plant in San Antonio Canyon to the City of Pomona, Calif. Consider today, when the Bureau uses 4600 volts in ordinary City distribution—almost one-half of the pioneer "huge voltage". For the Bureau's long distance transmission, a voltage eleven times as great as the old pioneer line is employed.

Detroit System Similar to That of Los Angeles

Besides Los Angeles, the City of Detroit is using 4600 volt lines in supplying electric energy to its huge industrial plants. Through this high voltage, the private corporation which controls this company is able to greatly increase reliability of service and effect tremendous economies.

So great has been the success of the 4600 volt lines in Los Angeles that the Bureau of Power and Light has received inquiries from other eastern power companies who contemplate changing over to this type of service.

Los Angeles Industries Have Own Sub-Stations

In the manufacturing district of Los Angeles there are 91 private sub-stations to serve their respective industrial plants. A most interesting feature regarding these sub-stations is that each has a greater capacity than the station which served San Pedro and Wilmington in 1915.

These industrial sub-stations are supplied directly from the main Receiving Station. An Industrial Sub-station is a development of the last ten years, and came with an industrial Los Angeles.

FOUR "BLADES" WHERE ONE GREW BEFORE

Foresightedness in Design Doubles Voltage And Quadruples Capacity of Bureau Lines

NO city in American history has shown such unprecedented commercial and building activity as Los Angeles during the past ten years. For the Bureau of Power & Light, this progress and expansion created problems requiring immediate and farsighted solution in order to keep pace with increasing demands for electricity. When the Bureau of Power & Light first entered the field in 1917, it was faced with the difficult problem of providing service to a community growing by leaps and bounds, but with existing facilities insufficient to guarantee a high degree of reliability.

The Bureau engineering staff, realizing that its first obligation was to increase reliability and also meet growing demands, decided to change the voltage or "pressure" of its distributing lines within the city from 2300 volts to 4600 volts. In other words, the Bureau was met with the problem of either spending a tremendous sum of money to build new lines, or else increase the "pressure" of electricity running through the old lines. After careful consideration, it was decided to do the latter. By the installation of new, advanced and more modern plant equipment, Los Angeles was protected against inadequate capacity for good service, but at minimum investment cost. The cost of this plant and equipment is a permanent investment capable of meeting future expansion and obviating the necessity of immediate replacements.

While this economy is in keeping with Bureau policy, a more important result is the increased reliability of service which has been so large a factor in the industrial and commercial development of this city.

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Through careful planning, of which this is but one feature, the Bureau is offering *lower rates than any other competitive city in the United States and will continue to do so.*

COTTON AT LOW EBB OF FOUR YEARS

Present Prices Expected to Cause Record-Breaking Amount of Takings

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Present prices for cotton are the lowest in the last four years and are expected to result in a record-breaking amount of takings by domestic and foreign spinners for consumption before the close of the present cotton statistical year on August 1. This has made it look to many in the trade as though cotton below 18 cents a pound would prove attractive after the turn of the year for the development of a sufficient amount of speculative buying to prevent any serious further declines in prices of a permanent character from that level.

The present belief is the large crop has had such a long depressing influence on prices it has been discounted to a great extent, and that if it is found there is anywhere near the large percentage of low-grade cotton in the crop so many are still claiming there could easily be a very sharp advance in prices during the spring after the bulk of the crop has been disposed of and planters begin to hold the balance pending the development of the new crop.

Should present plans for reducing the acreage for the new crop develop the proportions expected in cutting down the yield, there would then be a prospect for higher prices for both raw cotton next year and goods manufactured during this winter and spring. For the present, however, the belief prevails in the trade the markets will continue their current dragging tendency over the turn of the year.

Fluctuations in prices this week were confined within range of 30 to 40 points, with January selling as low as 18.44 cents Thursday; March, 18.83 cents; May, 18.43 cents; July, 18.16, and October on the new crop, 17 3-4 cents. Closing prices on Friday were only about 10 points above those quotations. They compare with 23 1-2 cents to 24 1-2 cents at this time last year and 34 to 35 cents two years ago. Middling cotton here is about 19 1-4 cents. It compares with 18 1-4 cents at Montgomery and Mobile, Augusta and Norfolk; 18 1-2 cents, Savannah and New Orleans; 18 5-8 cents, Dallas and Fort Worth; 18 3-4 cents, Memphis; 18 7-8, Houston.

The amount of the crop brought into sight this week is 570,000 bales, against 664,000 last week and 503,000 last year. It makes the total from August 1, last, to date 11,260,000 bales, against 9,745,000 bales the same time last year. World's spinners takings this week are 443,000 bales, against 553,000 last week and 377,000 last year, making 6,935,000 bales from August 1 to date, against 5,819,000 last year. This week's exports are 298,000 bales, against 204,000 last week and 321,000 last year, with exports from August 1 to date now up to 4,336,000 bales, against 4,029,000 last year. The present world's visible supply of American cotton is 5,393,000 bales, against 4,877,000 a year ago, with the world's visible supply of all kinds of cotton now 6,735,000 bales, against 5,900,000 a year ago.

MUSSOLINI GOES HOME

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ROME, Dec. 20.—Premier Mussolini left today for Milan. He will spend Christmas with his family.

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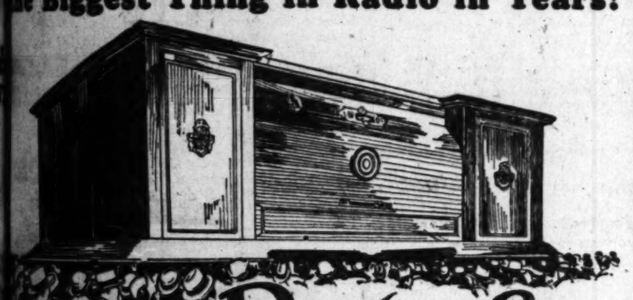

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BAKERSFIELD — Agnew Electric Shop, 1908 Chester Ave.
BALDWIN PARK — Hungry Radio Music Co.
BRAWLEY — Kendall Electric.
BURBANK — Burbank Radio Co., 147 W. San Fernando.
CORONA — H. Hart, 113 E. 7th St.
COVINA — S. F. Jones, 105 S. Citrus.
EL CENTRO — Kendall Electric.
ELSINORE — D. R. Crane, 120 Graham.
EXETER — De Carteret Electric Store.
FRESNO — 1344 Fulton St.
FULLERTON — Nelson Music Co., 130 S. Spadra St.
GLENDALE — Broadway Electric Co., 303 East Broadway.
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HEMET — Hemet Fi... Shop, 304 Florida ...
HUNTINGTON PARK — Hancock Radio Ex..., 115 E. Florence ...
INDIO — Wood's Radio ...
LANKERSHIM — Gilmore Highway ... Lankershim Blvd.
LA PUENTE — Fernando Blvd.
LA JOLLA — G... Store, 1095 Pr...
LINDSAY — E. ... Shop, 1035 Ho...
LONG BEACH — ... ...r Radio Store, ... East Broadway.
LOS ANGELES — Jackson Co., 811 So. ...
LOMITA — White ... Co., 606 ...
LONG BEACH — Cheney-Book-... 104 E. Ocean ...
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SAN LUIS OBISPO — Horn's Radioland, 1024 Morro St.
SANTA MONICA — Venice Radio Shop, 813 Santa Monica Blvd.
SAN PEDRO — McWhinnie Electric Co., 1835 S. Pacific Blvd.
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...T. J. Ensenberger.
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PURE FOOD ACT TERMED FARCE

Civil Service Reform League Explodes Bomb

Inspection Negligible Under Politicians, Report Says

Department of Agriculture Flayed as Biased

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—After a year's study of conditions throughout the country, the National Civil Service Reform League announced tonight that it had reached the conclusion that food inspection in the United States was "practically negligible from a public-health standpoint."

The league said it found that the inspection was being done in many instances "by plumbing inspectors, sheriffs and petty politicians," who were unable even to "suspect—much less detect—modern methods of disguising bad foods." More than half of the inspectors in the States and cities covered by the investigation, it explained, went into their positions "without adequate training or experience."

"The trusting confidence of the American public in the efficiency of laws," the report said, "was never more clearly shown nor more grossly betrayed than in the matter of food inspection.

"We have enacted 'pure-food' laws and ordinances, therefore, presumably we have 'pure food,' but between the law and the pure food lies a most important, though seldom recognized, factor—the human element charged with the interpretation and the administration of these laws and ordinances."

This element, it declared, was "given great power of discretion, power to make rules and regulations to an extent practically nullifying intent of the law, subject to overwhelming commercial and political pressure."

Asserting that the work of food inspection has been found to be not always the function of health departments, "but often of mayors, selectmen, city managers, departments of agriculture and even of park departments," the report said:

"An anomaly which perhaps has prevented the Federal meat inspection law from being of greater effect is the fact that its administration is placed in the hands of the Department of Agriculture, a department whose primary purpose is to promote agriculture and to further the intents of the farmer and cattle raiser. It is doubtful if these are, in the main, sufficiently broadminded to consider the condemnation of their products because of decay or tuberculosis affecting their interests."

SLOW GAIT ANNOYS PASSENGER

So Fair Fare Takes Shot at Driver

[P. & A. Photo]

Miss Ruth Keeney

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Miss Ruth Keeney, a blond-haired Chicago flapper, is highly temperamental. Little things annoy her.

When the driver of a taxicab in which the girl was riding several days ago, paid no heed to her repeated commands for more speed, she produced a gun and took a shot at the inconsiderate chauffeur. Fortunately, her aim, like her disposition, was erratic, and the astonished driver escaped with a flesh wound.

"He annoyed me with his slow driving," the girl explained coolly when she was placed in a cell, charged with attempted homicide.

LOWDEN URGES FARM-AID PLAN

Illinoisan Cites Reserve Board as Model

Disposition of Surplus Held Crux of Problem

Ex-Governor Sees Co-operation as Key to Success

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Frank O. Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, now recognized as the leader of an agrarian movement in the Middle West, looking toward a definite solution of the farm-relief problem on progressive lines, has come forward with a suggestion for a Federal farm board which will utilize government resources for the farmer as the Federal reserve board aids the banks.

It is not a government price-fixing scheme, such as was frowned upon by President Coolidge in his recent address to the Farm Bureau Federation, but it is far ahead of any measure yet outlined by the administration and gives a significant turn to the farm-relief problem, which looms as one of the major problems of the administration and even projects its shadow into the next Presidential campaign.

"This is a tremendous national problem," said Mr. Lowden. "The nation has the power to solve it. I do not yield to the depressing view that this Republic, through failure to reach a sound agrarian policy, has begun to decay and must go down as other republics have gone down."

URGES NATIONAL SURVEY

A national inventory, a grappling with the problem in a brave Roosevelt an way, is Mr. Lowden's idea of the gravity of this situation. He does not believe the farmer can ever go back to his independence as a unit in civilization, or that the farmers will ever be able to solve the problem for themselves. Farming has become commercial, he thinks, and it must be handled on a broad commercial basis, along nonpolitical lines.

The crux of the problem seems to be the disposition of surplus crops. It is here that the radicals have taken their stand in such bills as the McNary-Haugen measure.

Mr. Lowden points out what other nations have done. He has been studying this situation for five years. The coffee growers of Brazil have established their prices, he says, and the British government has come to the aid of the rubber planters in their eastern colonies, with effects felt by the American farmer.

BANKING SYSTEM CITED

"The Federal Reserve banking system was formed to mobilize the credits of the country so that they could be used at any time at the point needed," said Mr. Lowden.

"Isn't there some way by which the surplus of farm products can be mobilized and thus be made to serve the future?

"If we can accomplish in point of time for the farm surpluses what we have accomplished in point of place for the credit resources of the country, we will have overcome largely our troubles.

"I suggest a Federal Farm Board. Suppose that board finds that the producers of any farm commodity are sufficiently organized so as to be really representative of all the producers of that commodity. Suppose that when it has ascertained this fact it authorizes such producers to form a corporation for taking care of the surplus, either storing it to meet a possible future domestic need or exporting it upon the best terms available, the expenses and losses incurred in storage or in export to be borne proportionately by all the producers of that particular commodity.

"Such a board can function successfully only if it is operated through co-operative commodity associations. It can expect to prevent ruinous overproduction only in co-operation with such associations. It is vital to any plan that it be so formed as to strengthen and not to weaken the co-operative movement, for in that movement lies the best hope for the future of American agriculture."

NATIONS REPRESENTED

Leaves on Capital Grounds Form World Tree Collection

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—Leaves of all nations unite in the fertilizer used to keep trees and plants of the State Capitol's thirty-acre park looking their best. Fallen from the cork tree from Spain, the yews from Ireland and the hundreds of other specimens gathered from all parts of the world for planting on the Capitol grounds, this year's crop of leaves raked together and stored as fertilizer amounts to approximately sixty tons.

The leaves are piled on a vacant lot, successive layers being weighted down with earth and "salted" with quick lime. After the rains have soaked the pile and the leaves are well rotted, the resultant fertilizer is carted back to the Capitol grounds and put to work.

MITCHELL INELIGIBLE TO NEW YORK POLICE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Although Mayor-elect Walker made no official announcement tonight concerning the proposal of Representative Sol Bloom that Col. William Mitchell be appointed Police Commissioner of New York, it was learned from persons close to Mr. Walker that under no conditions would the suspended army officer be considered for the post.

Col. Mitchell, it was pointed out, is not a resident of New York City, a qualification which Mr. Walker announced necessary for the new police department head. The Mayor-elect has also stated that he would not appoint a professional soldier to the post.

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WELLS SOURED ON AIR SERVICE

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—H. G. Wells, who wrote fascinatingly about airplanes before there were any such things, has a poor opinion of flying. He was asked to write on the future of flying for the magazine, Airways, and he replied through his secretary: "Mr. Wells feels that he can say nothing worth saying about aviation. To judge by existing services which he has found to be unpunctual, untrustworthy and inconsiderate to the ordinary passenger, there is very little future for aviation."

Berenger Sails January 6 for American Post

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Henry Berenger, the newly appointed French Ambassador to the United States, will leave for his post January 6.

M. Berenger will take up the matter of the funding of the French war debt soon after he reaches Washington.

WILL REVEALS BANKER WAS KILLED BY LION

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Through filing of his will here it became known today that Bernard Percival de Watterville, noted banker, naturalist and artist, of Berne, Switzerland, was fatally injured by a lion near Uganda on the Congo border in Africa last October. He died soon afterward. With his young daughter he was collecting specimens for a Berne museum.

PARIS READY FOR WILD ...

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Feased not at all by the skyrocketing prices, Paris is about to celebrate a Christmas Eve that will pale all previous outbursts of post-war abandon.

The great hotels and famous night clubs in Montmatre announce in the same breath that their prices will be 50 per cent higher than last year and their table reservations are almost twice as heavy for the night that Paris makes lurid when the rest of the world is hanging up its stocking.

Its nerves tense after the autumn political and financial alarms, which came to a head just a few days ago when revolution's ominous visage was seen in every cloud, Paris will blow off the lid Thursday night.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The approach of Christmas and the new year finds Germany deep in the winter of her discontent. Judging by the newspapers and the utterances of government officials and politicians and even of plain business men, the Reich is on the edge of the abyss and likely to topple over into ... astrophe ... Scare-head ... er's hired ... statistics, ... martial law ... tatorship, ... ministerial ... and failure ... in the nationalist ... sabotage of the ... Dawes plan ... ment of the ...

STATE ORANG... FOR ORPHA...

[BY A. P. ...]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

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PRISONER TELLS OF 'LOST RACE'

Former Mining Engineer Long in South America

Asserts Strange People Seek to Avoid Discovery

Declares Medallions Bear Greek Characters

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 20.—In the opinion of C. A. Burton, an inmate of the Nebraska penitentiary who asserts he was a member of a South American exploring party a half dozen years ago, Col. Fawcett, now searching for "a lost white race" in the jungles of South America, has not more than one chance in a million of finding it.

Burton is a mining engineer who says he has been all over the southern continent, was with an expedition that spent five years in the jungles. He said that the remnant of the party stumbled upon these white people after they had been years in the interior and after several members of it had been killed by hostile Indians and others had met death from the insect and physical perils of the journey. He insists that the lost race does not want to be found, and that he and the other survivors were imprisoned for a long time by them.

They live in a valley surrounded by high mountains, over which strict guard and watch are maintained. He says the ranges are impassable and that his party accidentally came into contact with them by penetrating a tunnel dug through the mountain by a river. The expedition was hopelessly lost at the time. He thinks they are in Northwestern Brazil not far from the Peru border.

The legend as it was told him in Lima was that they are one of the lost tribes of Israel that landed on the west coast of Peru and worked their way into the interior. They are supposed to have a civilization much higher than that of the Aztecs. He says they are sun worshipers, and that they wear medallions showing Greek and Roman characters, which is taken as proof of their contact with the early great civilizations.

Burton says they were finally allowed to go, and that he and the others came out at the mouth of the Amazon. Most of them were delirious from fever and the insect poisons administered them by great hordes of flies that infest the upper Amazon.

HOLD-UP LAID TO FRIEND'S 'DARE'

Youth and Girl Rob Taxicab Driver at Point of Guns

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20.—"I was dared to do it."

That was the explanation advanced by Harold Mawson, 20 years of age, for the fact that he and Margaret Young, 19, had held up a taxi driver at the point of guns, robbed him of several dollars and left him bound and tied to a tree in a lonely district.

Mawson said he and the girl wished to show their friends that they had nerve enough to carry out a robbery. The hold-up was perpetrated after the young people had been passengers in the taxi for some distance.

Judge Cayley in County Court sentenced Mawson to one year in jail and released the girl with a warning.

BRITON SEES WAR CLOUDS OVER MOSUL

Former State Secretary Warns of Dangers From Geneva Pact With Turks

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A strong protest against the Geneva Mosul settlement will be published in the Daily Mail tomorrow by Cecil Harmsworth, who was Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs from 1919 to 1922, the period when the British mandates for Mesopotamia and Palestine were created.

Under the caption "Playing With War," Mr. Harmsworth says, "In my considered judgment, the arrangements just concluded open up to the most dangerous prospect that has confronted this country since the great war."

Urging the government to retreat from its dangerous position, Mr. Harmsworth contends that it would be madness to accept responsibility for twenty-five years at the risk of passive, or active antagonism between Great Britain and a "formidable military power," when any moment might bring and incident menacing war.

Arguing that Great Britain would fight with every disadvantage in Mesopotamia, and that an amicable working arrangement with Turkey would be worth far more to Mesopotamia than any boundary, strategic or otherwise, he asserts that the Geneva award was purposely made provisional to allow an opportunity for reconsideration. He appeals to the government to return to the policy of quitting Mesopotamia, as originally intended, in 1928. He deprecates the idea that Turkey is bluffing, and remarks how often that idea has led to war.

Spirit Slayers From Prison to Avoid Lynching

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CLARKSDALE (Miss.) Dec. 20. Two negroes, John Fischer and Ray Ford Leonard, under conviction for the murder of Grover Nicholas, a plantation store manager, last October 15, were believed to have been removed from the Coahoma County Jail late today and taken to another prison for safe keeping, following the lynching here last night of their asserted accomplice, Lindsey Coleman, negro.

Coleman was taken from Sheriff Glass a few minutes after his acquittal by a jury, and shot to death within the shadow of the jail building.

AMERICAN COMMITS SUICIDE IN FRANCE

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 20. — An American, Miss Isabelle Savary, 29 years of age, committed suicide at Lyons today by leaping from the bridge into the Saone River. Miss Savary was severely injured in an accident recently and with her mother took a taxicab to a clinic where preparations were made to amputate her leg. Stopping the taxi near the bridge, Miss Savary hobbled away from her mother, saying she wished to buy something at a neighboring store, but laying her crutches and hand bag against a railing, she suddenly cast herself into the stream.

FLORIDA AIR LINE BEGINS SERVICE SOON

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DETROIT, Dec. 20.—A new company, Florida Airways, Inc., using Ford all-metal airplane, will open service between Tampa and Miami January 1, it was announced here today. It is the first large purely commercial venture in air transportation in America by Americans, officials said. Capt. Edward Rickenbacker is president and general manager; Maj. William A. Robertson is vice-president in charge of operations, and Lieut. John Harding, who took part in the round-the-world flight, is in charge of maintenance.

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Bureau Briefs

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First High Voltage Line in U. S. California Product.

The first high-voltage, long distance transmission in the United States, considered a daring innovation in its day, operated at 10,000 volts and extended from a hydro-electric plant in San Antonio Canyon to the City of Pomona, Calif. Consider today, when the Bureau uses 4600 volts in ordinary City distribution—almost one-half of the pioneer "huge voltage". For the Bureau's long distance transmission, a voltage eleven times as great as the old pioneer line is employed.

Detroit System Similar to That of Los Angeles

Besides Los Angeles, the City of Detroit is using 4600 volt lines in supplying electric energy to its huge industrial plants. Through this high voltage, the private corporation which controls this company is able to greatly increase reliability of service and effect tremendous economies.

So great has been the success of the 4600 volt lines in Los Angeles that the Bureau of Power and Light has received inquiries from other eastern power companies who contemplate changing over to this type of service.

Los Angeles Industries Have Own Sub-Stations

In the manufacturing district of Los Angeles there are 91 private sub-stations to serve their respective industrial plants. A most interesting feature regarding these sub-stations is that each has a greater capacity than the station which served San Pedro and Wilmington in 1915.

These industrial sub-stations are supplied directly from the main Receiving Station. An Industrial Sub-station is a development of the last ten years, and came with an industrial Los Angeles.

FOUR "BLADES" WHERE ONE GREW BEFORE

Foresightedness in Design Doubles Voltage And Quadruples Capacity of Bureau Lines

NO city in American history has shown such unprecedented commercial and building activity as Los Angeles during the past ten years. For the Bureau of Power & Light, this progress and expansion created problems requiring immediate and farsighted solution in order to keep pace with increasing demands for electricity. When the Bureau of Power & Light first entered the field in 1917, it was faced with the difficult problem of providing service to a community growing by leaps and bounds, but with existing facilities insufficient to guarantee a high degree of reliability.

The Bureau engineering staff, realizing that its first obligation was to increase reliability and also meet growing demands, decided to change the voltage or "pressure" of its distributing lines within the city from 2300 volts to 4600 volts. In other words, the Bureau was met with the problem of either spending a tremendous sum of money to build new lines, or else increase the "pressure" of electricity running through the old lines. After careful consideration, it was decided to do the latter. By the installation of new, advanced and more modern plant equipment, Los Angeles was protected against inadequate capacity for good service, but at minimum investment cost. The cost of this plant and equipment is a permanent investment capable of meeting future expansion and obviating the necessity of immediate replacements.

While this economy is in keeping with Bureau policy, a more important result is the increased reliability of service which has been so large a factor in the industrial and commercial development of this city.

Foresight on the part of the Bureau provided Los Angeles with a system which other cities are now copying. It is a substantial achievement, in keeping with the Bureau policy of farsightedness, of anticipating future needs and providing means to meet them at the lowest possible expense to consumers.

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COTTON AT LOW EBB OF FOUR YEARS

Present Prices Expected to Cause Record-Breaking Amount of Takings

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Present prices for cotton are the lowest in the last four years and are expected to result in a record-breaking amount of takings by domestic and foreign spinners for consumption before the close of the present cotton statistical year on August 1. This has made it look to many in the trade as though cotton below 18 cents a pound would prove attractive after the turn of the year for the development of a sufficient amount of speculative buying to prevent any serious further declines in prices of a permanent character from that level.

The present belief is the large crop has had such a long depressing influence on prices it has been discounted to a great extent, and that if it is found there is anywhere near the large percentage of low-grade cotton in the crop so many are still claiming there could easily be a very sharp advance in prices during the spring after the bulk of the crop has been disposed of and planters begin to hold the balance pending the development of the new crop.

Should present plans for reducing the acreage for the new crop develop the proportions expected in cutting down the yield, there would then be a prospect for higher prices for both raw cotton next year and goods manufactured during this winter and spring. For the present, however, the belief prevails in the trade the markets will continue their current dragging tendency over the turn of the year.

Fluctuations in prices this week were confined within range of 30 to 40 points, with January selling as low as 18.44 cents Thursday; March, 18.63 cents; May, 18.43 cents; July, 18.16, and October 05, the new crop, 17 3-4 cents. Closing prices on Friday were only about 10 points above those quotations. They compare with 23 1-2 cents to 24 1-2 cents at this time last year and 34 to 35 cents two years ago. Middling cotton here is about 19 1-4 cents. It compares with 18 1-4 cents at Montgomery and Mobile, Augusta and Norfolk; 18 1-2 cents, Savannah and New Orleans; 18 5-8 cents, Dallas and Fort Worth; 18 3-4 cents, Memphis; 18 7-8, Houston.

The amount of the crop brought into sight this week is 570,000 bales, against 664,000 last week and 503,000 last year. It makes the total from August 1, last, to date 11,240,000 bales, against 9,745,000 bales the same time last year. World's spinners takings this week are 442,000 bales, against 553,000 last week and 377,000 last year, making 6,935,000 bales from August 1 to date, against 8,819,000 last year. This week's exports are 298,000 bales, against 204,000 last week and 321,000 last year, with exports from August 1 to date now up to 4,336,000 bales, against 4,025,000 last year. The present world's visible supply of American cotton is 5,398,000 bales, against 4,877,000 a year ago, with the world's visible supply of all kinds of cotton now 6,735,000 bales, against 5,900,000 a year ago.

MUSSOLINI GOES HOME

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ROME, Dec. 20.—Premier Mussolini left today for Milan. He will spend Christmas with his family.

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SANTA MONICA—Venice Radio Shop, 813 Santa Monica Blvd.
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EXPERTS DIVIDE ON SIGNAL HILL

Theory as to Extension Far from Settlement

Northwest Wells Held on Old Structure by Some

Declared an Entirely New Zone by Others

The question of whether the northwestern extension of the Signal Hill field at Long Beach really is only an extension of the old field, or whether it is an entirely new structure, is still a matter of doubt, although in the neighborhood of 150 wells have been started, since the discovery of the new producing area.

Geologists are divided in their opinions on the matter, one group holding that the new field is nothing more than an extension of the producing formations in the old field, distorted and warped by natural phenomena until they are hardly recognizable as the same formations. Another group holds to the theory that the new field is an entirely new structure, formed separately from the old structure, but lying close against it.

The Marland Oil Company was one of the operators to test out the theory that another dome should exist near the Signal Hill structure, and its Cerritos well was drilled northwest of the United Oil Company's Bixby lease, but apparently the Marland geologists had no idea it would occur so near the old producing district.

New wells continue to come in at Los Cerritos and California Heights at the rate of three or four a week, most of them averaging about 200 barrels a day. Among the most recent completions in the field are the Barry Oil Association's No. 1, which came in at 225 barrels, and the Rainbow Petroleum Corporation's No. 4, which made 400 barrels a day, with 38 per cent water content.

The development of the new area equals and, perhaps, even exceeds the development of the Signal Hill field. Derricks are being built at the rate of three or four each day, and every outpost completion causes an immediate rush to drill the newly-proved area.

Operators expect the new wells to begin to show in the production column shortly after the first of the year. The production of the Long Beach field has been showing an average daily increase of about 1000 barrels each week for some time, but when the new wells begin coming in at the rate of two or three every day, even with small production, the aggregate effect on the Long Beach production column will probably be a surprise to many observers.

NEW GROSS WELL GIVES HEAVY YIELD

Excellent Sand is Picked Up at a Depth of 3470 Feet

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TUFMAN, Dec. 20.—The No. 2 well of the Gross Drilling Company, completed several days ago at a depth of 3520 feet, is still producing at the rate of about 1200 barrels per day, according to reports. This well is located on Section 26, 30-24, in the Elk Hills district and is near the well which the Gross obtained a few months ago and which brought about quite a drilling campaign on adjoining sections.

A string of 8 5-8-inch casing was set in the hole at a depth of 3470 feet, where an excellent sand was picked up. The well is being agitated about 150 feet from the bottom of the hole at the present time with excellent results. The No. 1 well completed at 3535 feet with an initial production of 800 barrels a day, is still producing around that mark. The No. 3 hole is about half a mile northeast of the Differding well drilling in the Elk Hills.

The Slaten No. 1 well of the United Oil Company on Section 22, 30-24, in the Elk Hills is standing cemented at a depth of 4900 feet, where the 8 5-8-inch casing was set in the hole last week by the Taft Well Drilling Company.

The string set in this hole is undoubtedly the longest string of 8 5-8-inch casing ever set in the Midway fields if not in a California field.

The property of the United is bounded by lands of the Interstate and the Universal Consolidated and is considered some of the best in the Elk Hills district.

The Interstate, 400 feet east of the United, is standing at about 4900 feet, no oil having shown. Across a forty-acre tract west of the United's well the North Elk Oil Company's hole, drilled to 3960 feet, stands recemented at 3500 feet, the first job drilling out wet. A good sand is said to have been found at 3520 feet.

BOX OF PRIZE APPLES PURCHASED FOR $580

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20. One of the highest prices ever paid for a box of apples was given at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto, Can., when two boxes of apples from the Associated Growers of Vernon, B. C., which carried away the highest honors at the fair, were sold at auction for $580 each. Three other boxes of British Columbia apples sold at $250 each; three were sold at $200 each; three for $150 each and thirteen for $100 each. The total of $4000 went to the Sir Adam Beck memorial fund at the sanatorium at London, Ont.

MORE GOOD WELLS FOR INGLEWOOD

Pacific Completes Two 2000-Barrel Producers on Baldwin Lease

The gusher days of the Inglewood field are by no means over if the success of the Pacific Oil Company on its Anita Baldwin property, in the northeast end of the field, counts for anything. During the past week the Pacific finished two new wells on the Baldwin lease, each for about 2000 barrels a day.

The area of the Inglewood field near the Pacific Oil Company's Baldwin wells is now the principal center of activity there. The Standard Oil Company is preparing to drill several wells on its Los Angeles Investment No. 1 lease, offsetting the Baldwin lease, and the Shell Company is preparing to offset the west line of the Pacific property, on its Rindge lease. Pacific is taking steps to meet all offsets immediately.

The outpost wells which were trying to establish an extension of the shallow productive zone, have all given up the ghost with the exception of the Standard's southern well, the L. A. Investment No. 2-4, which is still going ahead, at 5000 feet, without showings.

Car of Lead Ore Sent to Smelter by Washington

PHOENIX, Dec. 20.—Bighorn Mountains, ten miles south of the Vulture mines, in the Tonopah Belmont Development Company, is developing the Washington mine, and has shipped to El Paso a carload of lead ore that has returned good values also in gold and silver. From a winze sunk 150 feet below the tunnel level, a crosscut has been driven that lately was reported about eighteen feet in good ore.

A new main shaft of four compartments has been decided upon by the management of the Kay Copper Company, to strike the ore at depth and to be sunk to 2000 feet as fast as possible. Machinery will be electrically driven, supplied with current from the Arizona Power Company's line which crosses the property. The mine lies about fifty miles north of Phoenix and has been developed to an extent declared to asure production, with profit from large bodies of chalconyrite ore in schist.

United Western Mines Passes to New Operators

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—Control of the United Western Mines Corporation has been taken over by George Long and associates, formerly operators of the United Eastern at Oatman, a property from which about $14,000,000 in gold was taken.

The Katherine East End Gold Mining Company, thirty-five miles northwest of Kingman, is engaged in sinking a new shaft and is installing a cyanide reduction plant. The property consists of seven claims adjoining the well-known Katherine on the southeast and is believed to contain an extension of the Katherine main vein.

Ten companies now are working in the Oatman district, with employment of 120 men. The sampling plant at Kingman is making shipments of over thirty-five carloads a month, its output increasing monthly.

Gas Showing in Lost Hills Test Spurs Activity

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LOST HILLS, Dec. 20.—The finding of a strong gas pressure in the Standard Oil Company test well on Sec. 12, 25-19, at the south end of Kettleman Hills, northwest of the Lost Hills fields, has caused a little adjacent activity. To the east, in the southwest corner of Sec. 7, 25-20, the Transport Oil Company has obtained a permit to drill and is getting material in.

On the same Section the Pacific Oil Company has a rig up. The Marland Oil Company has an eighty-acre lease on Sec. 7, just east of the Standard's location, but is rigging up for a test on its big block of acreage near Blackwell's Corner, after drilling more than twenty 1000-foot test holes to determine the upper formations.

The United Oil Company has a number of tracts northwest of the Lost Hills field, acquired from Dudley & Martin and the California Oil Company.

MARICOPA STAR WELL ENLIVENS

Obispo Gusher Zone Thought to be Reached

Hole on Blanck Lease Near Find in Trouble

United Drills Ahead After Failure at 3550

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MARICOPA, Dec. 20.—Operations on Maricopa Flat were somewhat enlivened during the week when the Maricopa Star lease of the California Petroleum Corporation drilled into oil sand at 3910 feet, supposedly the Obispo gusher horizon.

This is the second well to get down to the depth where the Obispo Oil Company's No. 6 is supposed to have run into its heavy oil and gas flow last August. The Blanck twenty-acre lease, adjoining the Maricopa Star on the western part of Sec. 33, 12-23—also a California Petroleum operation—is about as deep as the Maricopa (3840 feet,) but hasn't yet encountered the sand, having had considerable trouble with water.

The United Oil Company, drilling on the Transport forty acres at the extreme north edge of production on Sec. 32, half a mile north of the Obispo gusher, failed to get commercial production in thirty feet of sand at 3550 feet, and is now drilling ahead at about 3700 feet. Before this test the sand was reported to show good saturation.

The General Petroleum Corporation's Annex, No. 10-B, after losing a 200-foot hole, is again nearing the deep sand, about 1500 feet north of the Obispo gusher. Its deep test at the northeast corner of Sec. 6, 11-23, was abandoned after the corporation took over the adjoining forty acres at the southwest carner of Sec. 32.

The El Dora Oil Company is drilling ahead at about 3500 feet, just northeast of the Obispo well, the Pacific Oil Company's south offset, Atlas No. 8, being at about the same depth. The Trojan Oil Company is still fishing for a broken nipple that caused the pulling of 4000 feet of four-and-one-half-inch casing at 4370 feet, with excellent showing of oil and gas, supposed to be the gusher sand.

Permit Taken for Well in Napa County

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—H. V. Pambke has secured a permit from the State Mining Bureau to drill a well on Sec. 29, 8-3, in Napa county. Just north of the Pambke location, on Sec. 21, 8-3, the Napetro Producers' Syndicate has abandoned its second test.

In Colusa county, Wyoming interests composed of the Continental Oil Company, the Consolidated Royalties Company and the Western Exploration Company of Denver and Casper, have just ordered a Hild differential-drive rotary outfit—the latest electrical equipment, to overcome difficult formations.

Having abandoned one hole after working nearly two years to get down only 2000 feet, on Sec. 31, 18-4, and making slow progress after skidding the rig, the operators seem determined to go through with their program of testing the Cretaceous series.

They have about 60,000 acres extending more than twenty miles along the hills west of the Sacramento River, where gas and light-oil seepages appear.

In the Half-Moon Bay district of San Mateo county the A and C. Oil Company is drilling at 1300 feet on Sec. 17, 6-5. Anderson & Craft are Taft merchants.

PIPER BACK AT POSO CREEK

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 20.—Thomas A. Piper of Oakland is doing some work on his No. 1, Sec. 11, 27-27, and No. 4, in Sec. 15, 27-27, just south of Poso Creek. He is installing a gas engine at No. 1 to pump from 1040 feet, where production was found, the hole having been drilled considerably deeper. No. 4 is 1525 feet deep and is pumping some oil. After the holidays Mr. Piper will return to Bakersfield and expects to start several wells on his holdings.

Mr. Piper organized the Glide Petroleum Company early this year for extensive development. It begins to appear that the northwest extensions of the Kern River field will take in everything north to Poso Creek and form quite a field. No unusual wells may be expected, but good pumpers are developing as drilling works north. The comparatively shallow depth is an inducement.

Southwest of the Piper holdings George F. Getty, Inc., has started drilling the Grimes No. 2 on Sec. 62, 27-27, and farther northwest than previous tests. No. 1 was drilled about a year ago to assessment depth. The Getty interests have considerable acreage scattered from just north of Kern River production through two townships, with two producing wells, one of them the best so far developed north of the old field. Failure to get a water shutoff in the John K. Porter test well on the southwest quarter of Sec. 32, 26-28, near Poso Creek, caused drilling to be resumed for a sand expected at 2800 to 2900 feet.

From 1972 feet to 2022 feet a fine body of sand fifty feet thick and well saturated was encountered, but no water shutoff could be secured. Mr. Porter is living at Bakersfield to be in close touch with the work.

PLANS FOR NEW MILL IN MAKING

First Unit of Plant for United Verde Company to Have 1000-Ton Capacity

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

JEROME (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—H. Kenyon Burch is reported completing drawings and specifications for the new mill of the United Verde Copper Company, to be erected at Clarkdale near the $1,000,000 crushing plant lately completed. The first unit is to have capacity of 1000 tons a day.

The highest-grade chalcoyprite ever opened in the Verde district is said to have been tapped in the Verde Central in running an upraise from the 1450-foot level. For over seven feet is said to have been a solid body that sampled 20 per cent copper.

On the 1050-foot level, the same class of ore had value of 18 per cent. Statement is made that the Verde Central shaft will be sunk to the 1700-foot level, where it will be in line with the big service tunnel of the United Verde extension, and there is assumption that production eventually might be through this tunnel by means of a half-mile connection.

During a late visit of the company's principal officers, the statement was made that the Verde Central company is contemplating production, having established the fact that ample ore is available for the operation of a reduction plant, if arrangements were not made for production through one of the two smelters now operating in the district.

Wildcats Near Final Test in Santa Ana Area

The wildcat wells in the Santa Ana district are all nearing the stage where something definite in the way of showings should occur.

The Standard Oil Company's Santa Ana Gardens No. 1 continues to be the principal object of attention among oil scouts. The Standard had bad luck in its first attempt to get a water shut-off in this project at 4542 feet, after drilling to about 5700 feet, and it is now standing recemented.

The production test will be watched with much interest because of asserted oil showings at about that depth, which were officially denied at the time the showings were supposed to have been found.

The Shell Company's Von Schrilitz well is drilling ahead at about 8890 feet, and should be picking up showings within the next few hundred feet. The Standard Oil Company's Playan No. 1 is drilling in blue shale at 3160 feet.

Waste Gas Will be Used by New Concern's Plant

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ARTESIA (N. M.) Dec. 20.—The Phillips Petroleum Company of Bartlettsville, Okla., is to enter the Eddy county field. Construction of a 9000-gallon casing-head plant will be started immediately. It will be located on the southeast quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Sec. 17, 18-28. The plant will cost $425,000. It will use the 6,000,000 cubic feet of wet gas that has been going to waste daily in the field each day. A four-inch water line and gathering line will be laid as rapidly as material arrives. Arrangements are being made for a loading rack to be built on the Santa Fe right of way south of here.

ALUM PROPERTY BONDS PLANNED

Western Chemicals, Inc., to Issue $500,000

Arizona and Nevada Deposits to be Developed

Enlargement of Old Plant Part of Program

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 20.—Western Chemicals, Inc., controlled by Los Angeles capitalists, has authorized a bond issue of $500,000 for the development of alum properties in Nevada and Arizona.

The Nevada holdings are located at Alum, in the Silver Peak district, west of Tonopah, and contain an enormous tonnage of high-grade material. Plans of the management include enlargement of the old plant, extensive development of the deposits, installation of apparatus for the precipitation of alum crystals, and early resumption of production.

The White Caps Mining Company, operating at Manhattan and controlled by the Cole-Schwab-Kirchen interests of New York, Pittsburgh and Tonopah, has increased its holdings to 177 acres by purchase of additional claims, and the White Caps Extension, controlled by the same interests, has acquired the Red Caps group and numerous adjoining claims. Manager John G. Kirchen states that a new vein has been found on the 1220-foot level, with the main ledge showing seven to eight feet of $30 ore. Cleveland, Michigan and Massachusetts capitalists have acquired substantial holdings in the syndicate.

Shipments of rich gold ore are going out from the Canadian lease on the Hudson mine at Royston, owned by the Super Six Mining Company, controlled by S. H. Brock and associates in Los Angeles and Hollywood.

The company has arranged to ship two to four carloads of ore monthly, with the selected material averaging around $100 per ton. Plans are being completed for comprehensive work on the Super Six. The Canadian lease is credited with the richest gold shipments ever made in Nevada, with exception of the Mohawk mine at Goldfield.

Development of rich veins in the Exchequer and Star mines, in the Cherry Creek district, has been increased by the Cherry Silver Star Mining Company of Los Angeles, which recently acquired and consolidated the properties. Over $500,000 in commercial ore is reported blocked out, and construction of a 100-ton milling plant is nearing completion. The 450-foot Star tunnel is being extended 500 feet to develop the Exchequer veins. The mines were among the most famous silver producers of pioneer Nevada. R. Q. Cannon is president, and J. W. Walker, general manager.

SHIPPING HIGH GRADE

Concentrates from San Nicolas Run $150 a Ton

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NOGALES (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—High-grade concentrates, running about $150 a ton, are being shipped from Nacozari from the San Nicolas mine near Cumpas, Son., by O. L. Neer. The concentrating mill on the Animas mines at San Javier is operating full time. The property is under lease by Lewis & Taylor. A fifteen-ton cyanide plant is being erected in the same camp by the Vvalana company. Fuel is secured for all pumping and milling uses from near-by coal measures, packed across the hills a few miles on burros.

STANDARD COMPLETES WHEELER RIDGE WELL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WHEELER RIDGE, Dec. 20.—The Standard Oil Company has completed its No. 16 at Wheeler Ridge, for a 100-barrel producer in the upper sand. The No. 21 is drilling at 2100 feet, 1725 feet of twelve and one-half -inch casing being set. No other work is being done at Wheeler Ridge, production holding fairly steady at about 900 barrels a day.

Comparison of California's Daily Oil Production

Average for Week

District—	Week ending Dec. 12 1925	No. of Wells	Week ending Dec. 19 1925	No. of Wells	Week ending Dec. 20 1924	No. of Wells	Week ending Dec. 22 1923	No. of Wells
Long Beach	103,000	584	103,000	586	127,000	499	220,000	286
Midway-Sunset ..	101,000	2,838	98,000	3,907	109,000	3,584	77,000	2,320
Inglewood	65,000	163	67,500	164	.....	...	.....	...
Santa Fe Springs.	52,000	355	52,000	353	51,500	348	130,000	279
Huntington Beach	45,000	343	44,500	342	40,000	298	68,000	230
Torrance	32,500	607	32,000	605	44,500	471	38,000	69
Domingues	26,500	64	26,000	64	51,000	34	1,350	1
Rosecrans	24,000	108	23,000	110	9,400	14	.....	...
Balance of State.	177,000	5,985	178,000	5,952	172,000	6,752	117,000	5,429
Total for State...	634,000	11,107	630,000	11,083	604,400	11,300	701,350	8,614

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[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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DECISION IN OIL ZONING FIGHT SOON

Legality of Huntington Beach Ban on Drilling Up to Orange County Judge

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SANTA ANA, Dec. 20. — The question of whether Huntington Beach's city ordinance prohibiting oil drilling within a restricted residence district zone will stand or fall before the attack of the Pacific Palisades Association, owner of four blocks, leased for oil, within the restricted area, rests in the hands of Judge Z. B. West of the Orange County Superior Court.

At the close of a trial here this week, Judge West ordered the case submitted on briefs. The final brief is to be filed within twenty-five days and the court's decision to be made shortly thereafter. The Pacific Palisades Association, finding its plans for oil development blocked by the city ordinance, sued for an injunction against enforcement of the ordinance. It declared that it has a property right which is damaged by the prohibitory regulation. City Attorney L. W. Blodget, opposed the application for an injunction and defended the validity of the ordinance.

The case already has been up to the State Supreme Court on a demurrer, interposed by the attorneys for the city. Judge West sustained the demurrer on the ground that the complaint did not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. The Supreme Court reversed the lower court and ordered the case tried on all its issues.

One of the contentions of counsel for the city, in presenting the case to the court, was that the mere fact that the Palisades Association had leased its property is not evidence that there is oil underground and that the plaintiff is damaged.

The plaintiff argues that the bonus offered to it for signing the lease is itself a property right.

The decision of the court will be eagerly awaited by officials in a number of California cities where oil development is in progress as it will probably determine whether or not efforts shall be made to enforce zoning ordinances against oil drilling.

Veteran in Ores and Petroleum is Chamber Head

The election of Chester W. Brown as the new president of the Chamber of Mines and Oil places at the head of that organization one of the oldest and most experienced of California oil men. His introduction to the oil industry dates back thirty-five years to the time when he entered the service of Hardison & Stewart, an organization which was later merged into the Union Oil Company of California.

Early in his career Mr. Brown joined an expedition to develop oil fields, gold mines and rubber properties in Northern Peru.

Under a concession from the Peruvian government, by the building of roads and trails into unexplored regions of the Upper Amazon, he secured in fee 1,000,000 acres of rubber lands for his company. He also discovered oil fields on the table lands near Lake Titicaca, 13,000 feet above sea level. On leaving Peru he sold this to a South American company.

Mr. Brown started at the bottom of the ladder, learning the rudiments of the oil business on the derrick floor. He was promoted by progressive steps until he became superintendent in charge of drilling at Bardsdale and Ojai Valley, at that time the principal oil-producing districts in California.

In 1909 he became manager of the field department of Union Oil Company. Later he was appointed director of exploration and production for the Union, which position he holds now.

Under his guidance the Union Oil Company has pioneered in the development of new oil fields. In the last six years it has opened up eight new fields. Four are in California, two are in Colorado and two are in Wyoming.

DRILLING ACTIVE

Number of Companies Reported at Work in Coalinga Field

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
COALINGA, Dec. 20.—The Paragon Oil Company is drilling its No. 18, on Sec. 17, 19-15. The Shell Company is redrilling its No. 4 on Sec. 10, 19-15, and No. 1 on Sec. 34, 19-15, all in the northeastern part of the field.

The Pacific Oil Company is drilling Nos. 63 and 137 on Sec. 25, 20-14, the shallow-sand pool in the southwest part of the field, and the Union Oil Company is deepening its No. 13 on Sec. 13, 20-14, same neighborhood. On Sec. 6, 21-15, the Coalinga Empire Oil Company is redrilling its No. 6.

NEW RIG ORDERED

Harriman-Jones Company to Use Rotary on Gould No. 2

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
KING CITY, Dec. 20.—The Harriman Jones Oil Company, having nearly completed its sidetracking job in the Gould No. 1, on Sec. 20, 19-6, eight miles west of Greenfield, has ordered a new rotary outfit from the Oil Well Supply Company's Taft store for its No. 2, half a mile east of No. 1, on Arroyo Seco.

The Associated Oil Company, south of the Harriman Jones locations, on Sec. 2, 20-6, is making good headway.

ACTS AS OWN COUNSEL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
STOCKTON, Dec. 20.—C. O. Smith, captain of detectives on the Stockton police force, acted as his own attorney and cross-examined former Chief of Police Frank C. Briare in the local Superior Court. Briare is suing Smith for $35,000 damages for an assault asserted to have been committed at Briare's home July 25, 1923.

FRESH INTEREST IN EDDY COUNTY

Ohio Gets Production from Deeper Zone

Flow Starts When Drill is at 2802 Feet

Daily Output Estimated to be 600 Barrels

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
ARTESIA (N. M.) Dec. 20.—The completion by the Ohio Oil Company of the largest producer in the Artesia pool from a new depth, has revived interest considerably in the Eddy county field. The new producer, which is on the Toomie Allen lease in the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Sec. 28, 18-28, is expected to produce 600 barrels a day when it settles down.

After picking up a new sand at 2710 feet, the hole was drilled to a depth of 2802 feet. Before a control head could be put on, sufficient gas had accumulated to cause the well to flow and the fluid went 100 feet over the top of the derrick for twenty minutes.

This is the first producer in the Artesia field to flow in such a manner and with the production coming from a gray sandy lime similar to that found in the Brackenridge field, local operators believe that many good wells can be completed here.

A number of tests that have been abandoned on the east side of the field at depths ranging from 2100 to 3000 feet, will be deepened in search of the new sand. Many of the smaller producers in the field will also be deepened at once.

On Sec. 17, the V. K. F. Oil Company is deepening its No. 6, which made a small well at 2100 feet. On Sec. 16 the No. 1 well of Compton is now drilling below 2810 feet.

The Ohio Oil Company is offsetting this well on the south with a deep test on the Kelser eighty-acre lease. On Sec. 5, the Texas Company is deepening its No. 4, which made a small producer at 2300 feet, it being the intention to carry the hole to 3000 feet if possible.

Two other deep tests that are attracting attention are the Ohio's No. 1 on the McCollough permit, Sec. 1, 20-27, which is being cemented at 3000 feet, and the same company's deep test on the Tracy permit, three miles west of Carlsbad, which is being cemented at 5050 feet. A good showing is reported in this hole, it coming from a black lime, which is believed to be of the Pennsylvanian series.

In the north extension, two producers have been added. They are the No. 5 of the Frontier Petroleum Company, located on Sec. 4, 18-28, and the Levers Carper No. 1, on Sec. 3, 18-28.

Mine of Tonopah Belmont Said to be in Rich Ore

Word has been received in Los Angeles that the Tonopah Belmont Development Company of Tonopah, Nev., which is operating the Washington mine in Yuma county, Arizona, near the old Vulture bonanza, is opening up a body of ore that is surprising because of its magnitude and richness.

This body of ore, ranging from fourteen to twenty feet in width, is said to carry about $20 in gold to the ton, besides its silver-lead-copper content, and is being opened up by a winze from the tunnel level at a depth of 300 feet.

In the bottom level, according to information from reliable sources, twenty feet of $50 ore has been uncovered which has been followed by drift a distance of fifty feet.

Los Angeles stockholders of Tonopah Belmont are elated over reports coming from the mine. The company has paid nearly $11,000,000 in dividends. Its operations in Yuma county are attracting widespread attention to the mining possibilities of that district.

TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN TEXAS SHOWS GAIN

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
AUSTIN (Tex.) Dec. 20.—For the period of 1923-24 approximately 55,400 new spindles were added to the textile industry of Texas, according to Burt C. Blanton of Dallas, consulting industrial engineer. This was an increase of about 33 per cent over the total number of spindles in 1923. The total capital investment in the industry is approximately $44,500,000. The total number of spindles in the State at the close of 1925 was 241,158, as compared with 48,756 in 1899. Several large cotton mill projects are on foot for the coming year.

POWER RIGHTS FOR LAGUNA DAM SOUGHT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—Application to the Federal government for a fifty-year franchise to the power rights at Laguna dam of the Yuma project, about twelve miles up the Colorado River from here, has been filed by the Yuma County Water Users' Association which has employed Barry Dibble, Redlands (Cal.) consulting engineer, to prepare data as to the cost of such a power plant, the amount of energy it will produce, and the available present and probable future market for such power.

WASCO WELL NEARS INTERESTING LEVEL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
WASCO, Dec. 20.—The Main Oil Company is now at an interesting depth in its No. 2 well on Sec. 28, 27-24, four miles southwest of here. The sand, from which the No. 1, only 800 feet from the No. 2, got its strong gas flow, is due any time now and if it is as good as the No. 1 it will demonstrate the presence of enough gas to encourage hope for a commercial gas field. Precautions are being taken to prevent a recurrence of the blowout that caused so much trouble in the No. 1 hole.

NOVEMBER EXPORTS OF OIL DROP

Mexican Fields Running Low Due to Standstill in Developments

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
TAMPICO (Mex.) Dec. 20.—Oil exports during November, according to tabulations just made public, showed a decrease of more than 500,000 barrels as compared with the totals for October. The November shipments totaled 6,896,000 barrels, against 7,144,000 barrels the previous month.

The two big Standard subsidiaries, the Huasteca Petroleum Company and the Transcontinental Petroleum Company, which usually export from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 barrels apiece, showed heavy falling off, although they still were far ahead of all competition. The Huasteca exported 1,635,000 barrels, a decrease of 613,000 barrels, and the Transcontinental loaded out 2,025,000 barrels, a decrease of 469,000 barrels. Sixteen different company exported oil.

The November totals are the poorest in five years, and are due to salt water encroachment and the failure of the companies to develop new fields. The latter inactivity has been partly due to uncertainty as to the action the government is going to take, and the new petroleum decree may be helpful in clearing the atmosphere. The new decree is intended to conserve petroleum fields by limiting the output of wells.

Heavy Exports of Petroleum Products Made

Petroleum products totaling 1,882,509 barrels were exported from Los Angeles harbor last week in twenty-eight tanker loads. Fuel oil was among the large consignments. Of the latter, the United States Navy got 107,000 barrels. The shipments for the week were as follows:

PACIFIC DOMESTIC

Kwarnes to Richmond with 23,000 barrels of gas for Associated Oil Company.
S. C. T. Dodd to Richmond with 75,000 barrels of crude for Standard Oil Company.
D. G. Scofield to Richmond with 74,000 barrels of crude for Standard Oil Company.
Lebec to Oakland with 68,319 barrels of crude for General Petroleum Corporation.
Los Angeles to Gilsem with 71,255 barrels of crude for Union Oil Company.
E. R. Kingsbury to Seattle with 78,000 barrels of fuel for Standard Oil Company.
Los Alamos to Portland with 55,000 barrels of gas for General Petroleum Corporation.
W. S. Miller to Richmond with 74,200 barrels of crude for Standard Oil Company.
Frank H. Rusk to Avon with 63,774 barrels of crude for Associated Oil Company.
Standard Service to San Diego with 18,000 barrels of fuel for Standard Oil Company.
Moiave to Portland with 73,000 barrels of fuel for General Petroleum Corporation.
Kanawha to San Francisco with 55,000 barrels of fuel for United States Navy.
Nodine to San Diego with 55,000 barrels of fuel for United States Navy.
Warwick to Martinez with 62,000 barrels of gas for Union Oil Company.
Dorheim to Martinez with 32,000 barrels of crude for Union Oil Company.
D. G. Scofield to Richmond with 78,000 barrels of crude for Standard Oil Company.
Calwood to Martinez with 18,000 barrels of crude for Union Oil Company.
H. J. Hanna to Seattle with 69,741 barrels of fuel for Standard Oil Company.
S. C. T. Dodd to Richmond with 75,000 barrels of crude for Standard Oil Company.

PACIFIC FOREIGN

Canwa to Balboa with 51,634 barrels of fuel for Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Company.
La Purisima to Honolulu with 97,988 barrels of fuel for Union Oil Company.

ATLANTIC DOMESTIC

I. C. White to Boston with 75,000 barrels of crude for Pan American Petroleum Company.
Arrihaven to Havana with 90,958 barrels of fuel for Union Oil Company.
Halo to Boston with 75,000 barrels of crude for City Service Refining Company.
Paul Shoup to Baltimore with 75,000 barrels of crude for Associated Oil Company.
Ayrshire to Bayonne with 85,000 barrels of crude for Atlantic Gulf Refining Company.
Dirfis Arrow to New York with 91,070 barrels of gas for Standard Oil Company.

ATLANTIC FOREIGN

San Fabian to Montevideo with 102,497 barrels of fuel for Eagle Oil Company.
San Salvador to London with 83,925 barrels of gas for Eagle Oil Company.

Drill to Explore Below Deepest Level of Mine

Diamond drilling methods may be employed in securing advance information regarding the ore possibilities below the fourteenth level of the Verde Central Mines at Jerome, Ariz., according to a statement made by Maj. W. F. Staunton, of Los Angeles, general manager for the coming.

In the No. 17 raise from that level, Maj. Staunton states, the entire heading assays 21 per cent copper to the ton, and he makes the further statement that such high-grade ore, and at such a depth, speaks volumes for the ultimate possible outcome of this mining enterprise, in which many Los Angeles people are interested.

The gain in mineralized area, he says, from the tenth to the fourteenth level, has exceeded expectations, and the ore measure is all of forty feet in width at the bottom level. In addition to this gratifying showing, the raise from the tenth level, it is stated, is all in ore of shipping grade.

MEXICAN REPORT IN

Conditions in Mining and Petroleum Industries Now Available

The trade extension department of the Chamber of Commerce has received a report on the petroleum and mining industry in Mexico, which is available now to interested investors and operators in the southern republic.

Laws, taxes, patents, exploration permits, duties, drilling regulations, recent production schedules, income taxes, and other such information is contained therein.

LACK OF SNOW HOLDS UP LUMBERING WORK

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 20. Lumbering operations in the inland districts of British Columbia are being held up at present through lack of snow, which is needed to make hauling possible. Light snowfall melting immediately afterward and rains have served to so soften the roads that hauling by wagon has become impossible. Especially bad conditions are reported from the vicinity of Creston, B. C.

TRADE OUTLOOK BRIGHT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]
NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—A slightly modified rate of industrial operations and warnings of an overextension of building activities last week failed to undermine the optimism of the business world, which maintained that the outlook for late winter and early spring is in every way satisfactory.

While retail trade during the week was quickened by unusually strong holiday demand, these same influences imposed some restraint upon wholesale trade and primary commercial activities. Many manufacturing plants began to prepare for inventories and the replacement of equipment, with indications that this period of comparative inactivity would be limited to the shortest possible time.

METAL MARKET ACTIVE

The lighter market activity in the iron and steel industry, however, was offset by a sudden spurt in equipment buying by the railroads. Large orders were placed for locomotives, freight cars and track supplies in contrast to a withdrawal of some of the other consuming industries from the market. Mill operations actually were geared up to a higher speed in anticipation of the approaching holiday suspension, the weekly trade reviews reported.

Bradstreet's report of the week indicated that the general trend of industry has been toward a slowing down of new buying and of operations on staple products, but at the same time found that large production is being maintained in steel, soft coal and coke.

INFLATION FEARED

The most disquieting development of the week were the warnings from insurance companies and other large institutional leaders on new construction that inflationary tendencies were about to get the upper hand in the building industry. The situation in New York, where the building of high-class business structures and apartment houses has been overextended, was said to be especially critical. From other parts of the country came reports that similar conditions prevail in many large cities.

Statistics gathered by real estate investment houses revealed that more than $4,000,000,000 had been expended upon new building projects in the first eleven months of the year.

The cheap money which has been available for more than a year was assigned by bankers as the chief factor contributing to the huge volume of speculative building and real estate ventures. It was generally agreed, however, that the great expansion in this field has not been without its advantages, the most marked of which have been the stimulation of other types of business.

MINE TO REOPEN

Copper King at Hillside, Ariz., to Resume Work

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
PRESCOTT (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—A. N. Gillespi, manager of the Copper King mine near Hillside, states that the property soon will be operated, the ore to be shipped by truck to Las Santa Fe at Hillside. Reduction is to be in the new Guggenheim zinc smelter at Amarillo, Tex. The ores carry high value in zinc, with addition of copper, silver and lead.

The Sheldon mill, near Prescott, is handling sixty tons of ore a day and is producing two concentrates. The lead is shipped to El Paso and the copper to Humboldt, to be stored against the time of operation of the Southwest Metals Company.

E. Cullity is shipping a carload of ore a week from the Burmister manganese mine.

United American Leases Portion of Endline Vein

W. K. Ridenour, president and manager of the United American Mining Company, Oatman, Ariz., has announced that he has leased to L. Shank 200 feet of the American vein endlining with the Aztec claim of the Tom Reed Mining Company, and that within a short time ore from this source should be going to the Tom Reed mill, returning a regular income to the United American Company.

Mr. Shank and associates have a lease on the Tom Reed mine and mill, but is now hoisting ore from the bonanza ore shoot on the Aztec claim through the underground workings and shaft of the United American, as this is now the only avenue to the surface from the Aztec because of the recent destruction, by fire, of the Aztec hoist and shaft.

A portion of the ore being extracted by the Aztec leasers is coming from a body of ore that has been worked up to American endline, and the giving of the lease will allow Aztec operators to follow the ore into American ground for a distance of 200 feet, enabling the operation of both properties economically and to good advantage. At the time of the injury to the Aztec shaft $25,000 in ore was being mined and milled, monthly, from that source.

FISH TESTS TO BE MADE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
CORPUS CHRISTI (Tex.) Dec. 20.—Laboratory tests to be made in the waters of this vicinity by the United States Bureau of Fisheries in a scientific study of life history of redfish, drum and trout will be started about January 1, 1926. A building has been rented at Four Bluff to be used in these experiments by the Federal Inspectors. The State also is co-operating with the Bureau of Fisheries by furnishing boats to be used in this work.

EARLY GOLD PRODUCER IS OPEN AGAIN

Utah Man is Operating Harqua Hala Estate as Lead-Silver Project

The Harqua Hala mine south of Saloma, Ariz., one of the early gold producers of the West, with millions to its credit, is now being worked by Charles Moore of Park City, Utah, after being idle for many years.

The coming back of this old-time producer marks a new era for that section. In its rejuvenation the Harqua Hala takes rank as a lead-silver proposition. During the past few weeks it has sent out two carloads of lead ore to a Salt Lake smelter, this product being high-grade. It was drawn from the tunnel level in the performance of development work only, from the Golden Eagle group of the property.

In mine development it is stated, Supt. Marvin Jessey is following ore in a winze fifty feet below the tunnel level. Notwithstanding the fact that Harqua Harla district has always been known as a gold producer, it does not surprise many experienced mining operators that attention there is now directed to the production of lead and silver ores, as the formation is lime and quartzite.

Other interests are active in mine operation in the district, and it is reported that John Jones, working a property a mile north of the Harqua Hala, recently consigned a carload of highgrade ore to Selbys, while Ed Kane, who is working a mine on the top of Martin Peak, has just sent out a carload shipment running high in its silver-lead content, and which also carries appreciable values in gold and copper.

600,000 (Shares) Depositary Receipts

"SNIA VISCOSA"

(Societa Nazionale Industria Applicazioni Viscosa)

Deliveries under this offering will be made in the form of Depositary Receipts of The Chase National Bank of the City of New York representing fully paid shares of the capital stock of "Snia Viscosa" deposited under an agreement with The Chase National Bank of the City of New York, as Depositary.

Dividends will be payable in New York City to the registered holders of Depositary Receipts, by check in U. S. dollars out of the proportionate amount realized by the depositary from the exchange into dollars, of the lire dividends received.

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The Company has no bonded debt or preferred stock

This offering represents no new financing by the Company, but is arranged to facilitate the development of an international market for the Company's shares.

The following information has been summarized by Mr. R. Gualino, Chairman of the Board of the Company, from his letter of December 17, 1925:

HISTORY AND BUSINESS: "Snia Viscosa" (Societa Nazionale Industria Applicazioni Viscosa), of Turin, Italy, is one of the three largest producers of artificial silk in the world. The Company was organized in 1917. In 1920 it began the production of artificial silk and other textile fibres, to which it now devotes itself exclusively. It is the dominating factor in the artificial silk industry in Italy, which country, it is estimated, will occupy second place among artificial silk producing countries, in 1925. The "Snia Viscosa" has three large factories at Pavia, Venaria Reale and Cesano Maderno, Italy, and a fourth large plant nearing completion at Turin.

After many years of costly experiment, the Company is producing on a large scale a new fibre called "Sniafil" (trade mark). This fibre, which has a beautiful and soft appearance and textile strength similar to wool, is now achieving the success it merits. The inquiries which the Company is receiving from the largest weavers and spinners, not only in Italy but in other countries, confirm the management's original opinion that this new fibre will be very important for the textile industry and earn for the Company large profits.

PRODUCTION: The remarkable growth of "Snia Viscosa" is most forcefully told in the record of production, which is as follows:

	Yearly Output Pounds	Maximum Daily Production End of December Pounds
1920	1,186,853	4,079
1921	2,024,138	7,496
1922	3,703,100	13,007
1923	6,601,176	26,896
1924	11,687,526	54,454
1925 (partly estimated)	19,800,000	99,000

In October, 1925, the Company had on its books unfilled orders in excess of 5,511,500 pounds. The output for the year 1924 was estimated to be approximately 8% of the world's production of artificial silk, and equal to 30% of the entire production in the United States in that year and for the year 1925 more than 11% of the world's production. About 70% of the Company's output is sold in foreign markets.

EARNINGS: The net earnings of the Company (after taxes, available for dividends), for the fiscal years 1923, 1924 and for the first nine months of 1925, were as follows (converted at current rate of exchange $.04 per Lira):

1923	$1,125,000
1924	2,403,000
1925 (nine months)	4,490,000

Due to the Company's very conservative policy of ample depreciation and amortization charges, there has been reinvested in the business in the years 1923-1925, many millions of dollars annually.

The above earnings do not reflect any benefit from the 2,000,000 shares (70% paid) issued in 1925, the proceeds of which are being used to increase the Company's plant capacity.

DIVIDENDS: Dividends of approximately 64 cents a share were paid on the Capital Stock in 1923; 80 cents in 1924, and the management will recommend at the shareholders' meeting a dividend of 25 Lire, or approximately $1.00 per share in February, 1926, for the year ending December 31, 1926, which dividend will be payable on the shares now offered.

All conversions of lire into dollars have been made at current rate of exchange, approximately $.04 per lira. All offerings of Depositary Receipts are made when, as and if issued and received subject to approval of counsel. Interim receipts of the Chase National Bank of the City of New York, in bearer form, exchangeable for depositary receipts when issued, will be delivered in the first instance. Payment for receipts confirmed under this offering will be due in New York funds at the office of E. F. Hutton & Company, 61 Broadway, New York, N. Y., on Monday, December 28, 1925. The legal details in connection with the issue of interim receipts and Depositary Receipts will be passed upon by Messrs. Hornblower, Miller and Garrison, New York.

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Last-Minute News From Petroleum Fields and Marts of Trade

MARBLE QUARRY PROJECT AFOOT

Deposits in Mono Lake Area to be Developed

Financing Plans Reported Near Completion

Los Angeles and Bay Cities Men Interested

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 20.—With Los Angeles, Oakland and San Francisco capital interested, plans are nearing completion for extensive quarrying of marble deposits in the Mono Lake region. Test shipments to Oakland have proved that the marble is of exceptional quality, and ideal for interior decorating. The material is found in a variety of tints, including the beautiful gold-white, highly prized by manufacturers. It is reported that large shipments will be made shortly to Los Angeles and Hollywood for new hotels.

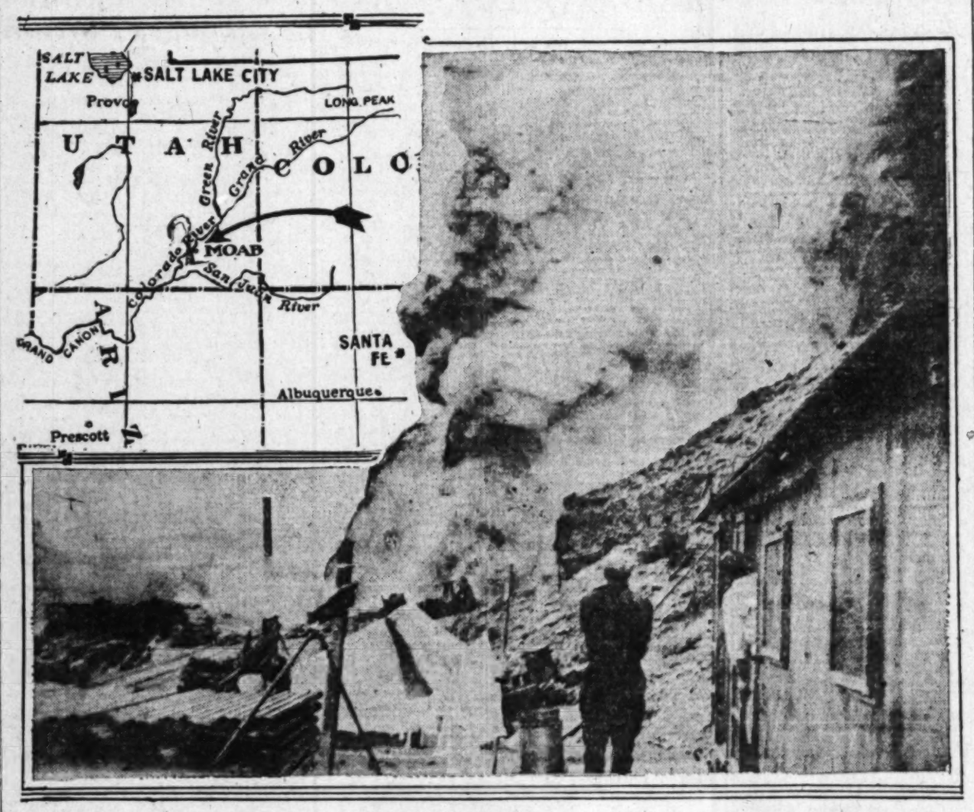
With the five copper smelters once active in the Shasta copper belt, near Redding, now dismantled and abandoned ruins, the Mountain Copper Company is shipping ore from its Iron Mountain mine to smelters near Tacoma, Wash. The mine is one of the oldest copper producers in the West and is said to still contain large bodies of fairly rich ore.

Shasta county farmers waged war on the smelters on the ground that the sulphurous smoke killed their crops. With the plants gone the grangers and themselves deprived of the remunerative markets which the smelter towns used to provide for their crops.

For the purpose of recovering zinc from the bag-house dust at the dismantled smelter of the Mammoth Copper Company, chemists and metallurgists have begun a series of experiments near Redding. Besides carrying large amounts of zinc the dust is thought to contain considerable copper, silver and gold. The Mammoth Copper Company has been shipping many tons of the dust to Utah smelters.

Rejuvenation of the Old Eureka mine at Sutter Creek, one of the oldest and most famous gold producers of California, has been started by the Central Eureka Company. The old producer is credited with a yield exceeding $15,000,000, and for many years was controlled by the late Hetty Green. It is being reopened from the deep Central Eureka levels and will be worked in conjunction with the Central Eureka and South Eureka mines.

Petroleum Discovery Accompanied by Blowout and Fire



Mormon State Taps New Source of Wealth

Pioneering for crude oil along Colorado River, where only boats can transport materials and machinery, bears fruit for Salt Lake City and San Francisco capitalists. May open up important new field.

OIL FOUND IN REMOTE SPOT

Utah Explorers Drill Far From Haunts of Man; Gas Pressure Helps Them Complete Job

The West's newest oil boom has taken for its setting one of the most inaccessible spots in the United States. This is Grand county, Utah, where a big oil and gas well was struck a few days ago by the Midwest and Southern Utah Exploration Company of Salt Lake City.

The well is located seven miles southwest of Moab, Utah, in the southeast corner of the State, on a shelf lying only a few rods east of the banks of the Colorado River, and but a few feet above the surface of its waters. The only means of reaching this well is by boat up the river.

Here, in a desolate spot, several days' ride west from Shiprock, N. M., by horseback, the Salt Lake drillers hit an oil formation which, when it blew out, sprayed oil 400 feet into the air, wrecked and burned the derrick, and blew 1200 feet of steel casing out of the hole.

It has been estimated that the well is probably capable of yielding 1000 barrels of oil per day. While it blew as a gasser, and before the drillers smothered it by filling the hole with mud from the Colorado River, the well actually put out oil at the rate of 350 barrels per day, eye-witnesses say.

The hole is known as Shafer No. 1. It was 2028 feet deep when the blowout occurred. The drillers think that there are from four to five oil-bearing sands underlying that district. They have only succeeded in finding one of them thus far. The intention is to drill deeper for other sands as soon as timbers for a new derrick and a supply of new drilling equipment can be shipped in on river barges.

While the well was blowing off the crew succeeded in forming a big sump hole, which caught much of the oil that came out. The hole is now temporarily capped. Territory surrounding this embryo oil field is of the wild scenic nature of the Colorado River Canyon.

Interested in the Moab territory are E. C. Jackling of San Francisco, copper-mining magnate; Herbert Fleishhacker, also of San Francisco, and L. F. Rans, head of the Columbia Steel Company of Salt Lake. The Utah Refining Company, with a large plant located here, is another large holder in the district and interested in the development of the field.

Practically all available leases in the immediate district have been taken for some time. Because of the inaccessibility of the region, excitement has been absent, although many oil men from other States have visited the well since it came in.

Definite plans for drilling other wells have not been announced here. Drilling operations are practicable all winter, however, and it is the plan of the Moab promoters to go ahead.

UNITED TO DRILL TEST

Holdings in Burrell-Raisin City Area to be Explored

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 20.—Several months ago, before the Associated Oil Company abandoned its Raisin City wells, the United Oil Company acquired approximately 10,000 acres in the Burrell-Raisin City neighborhood.

It is reported from there that the United is preparing to drill a test well on its holdings. The Associated has abandoned its four operations except a final test of the Herminghaus well, eight miles north of Kerman.

The Fresno United Oil Company is making a final production test in its Raisin City test where reported showings at around 5100 feet encourage the new management.

TWO REFINERIES AT FARMINGTON CLOSE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FARMINGTON (N. M.) Dec. 20. The local refinery of the Continental Oil Company and the Santa Fe Oil Company was closed down recently and will remain closed until March 1, next. The operators announced that enough gasoline is on hand to supply the trade during the next two and one-half months. The refinery employees have been transferred to Artesia, where the companies jointly have another refinery under construction.

TAKES AVIATION COURSE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 20. Lieut. D. C. Vertucci of the Argentine navy, who has been on a commission at Washington for several months, has reported at the primary flying school at Brooks Field for the training course. On completion of the course at Brooks Field he will have the privilege of continuing in the advance school at Kelly Field.

New Process for Dehydrating Oil to be Tried Out

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TAMPICO (Mex.) Dec. 20.—A dehydrating plant calling for an entirely new process for separating salt water and basic sediment from oil is being constructed at the terminal of the East Coast Oil Company at Topila in the State of Vera Cruz, by E. A. Fennell of Los Angeles. A calcium chloride process, which is said to be entirely new is to be used. The plant will have a 2000-barrel daily capacity.

The oil and calcium chloride will be heated separately to 260 deg. and then run together when Mr. Crites claims, that the chloride will take up the sediment and water, leaving clean oil.

The process will be very closely watched by local oil men, as there are sumps in the Tampico district containing many hundreds of thousands of noncommercial oil which is now valueless.

FENIANS A FORMER POLITICAL SOCIETY

The Fenians were a political society in Ireland and the United States, taking their name from an ancient Irish military body and the legendary hero Finn or Fionn MacCumhall. They organized in 1857 for the purpose of establishing an Irish republic. In this country the movement first attracted attention in 1863, in which year a congress was held at Chicago.

In Ireland there were widespread clashes with British authority, and the feeling these inspired among Irish in this country was greatly increased after large numbers of Irish soldiers had been freed by the disbanding of the Union armies at the close of the Civil War.

In October, 1865, at a Fenian convention in New York, an invasion of Canada by a force of these veterans was determined upon. In April, 1866, an attempt was made to gather men and arms for an advance into New Brunswick, and 500 assembled at Eastport, Me. Federal authorities interfered, expected reinforcements failed to arrive, and this attempt was abandoned.

But on June 1 about 1500 men crossed into Canada at Buffalo. Canadian militia had been called out and a skirmish occurred the next day. The Fenians lost heavily in prisoners and wounded, though few were killed. Attempting to return to the United States, 700 were seized by Federal authorities and some were later sentenced to short prison terms.

Two other projected Canadian invasions failed of achievement during that year, as did later efforts in 1870 and 1871. Meantime, risings in Ireland were frustrated by the British in 1865 and 1866, and a general insurrection was suppressed in 1867.

The "skirmishing fund," raised to destroy British commerce and buildings, and the Clan-na-Gael, an extreme party, were later developments of the Fenian spirit.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SHEFFIELD CUTLERY GIVEN TO CAESAR

When Julius Caesar landed on England's shores, knives were being made at Sheffield.

The cutlery trade in Sheffield is one of great antiquity. Sir Walter Scott in "Ivanhoe" tells us in the time of King John (thirteenth century) Sheffield was celebrated for the making of cutlery.

Since those early days the trade had been carried on in Sheffield with unexampled success as regards quality. Recently there has been an abnormal importation of cutlery into Britain, and the big enemy and the only one the trade feared was the German manufacturer, who was able to undercut the home producer in the British market because Germans worked longer hours and were paid lower wages.—[Vancouver Province.

TAFT WELL GIVES EARLY OIL SIGNS

Former Fortuna Company Hole Promising at Depth of 1770 Feet

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TAFT, Dec. 20.—The well being drilled by Ralph Lavin and his associates on Sec. 27, 32-23, to the rear of Twenty-five Hill is now down below a depth of 1770 feet and still drilling ahead. A few days ago seven feet of sand, showing good signs of oil and gas, were passed through, giving the backers of the project much encouragement.

This, the No. 1 well, of what was formerly the Fortuna Oil Company was taken over some time ago by a group of local professional and business men, headed by Mr. Lavin. The Fortuna drilled the well to 1645 feet where work was stopped. Under the new management, the well was tested out at 1200 feet and cleaned out to its original depth where the deepening process was started.

The Gonyer No. 1 well of the Belridge Oil Company on Sec. 22, 32-23, after cementing off at 1570 feet and securing a hole free of water, is drilling ahead around 1900 feet with good showings being encountered almost daily.

The Associated Oil Company has erected a 122-foot derrick on Sec. 25, 32-23, in San Luis, Obispo county, preparing to make a test of the property which it recently acquired. The company is building a strip of road to the property.

USE GOLD AGAIN

Few Errors Seen in Making of English Coinage

The announcement that gold is to be reintroduced in Britain next year as currency instead of treasury notes, suggests the reflection that those responsible for the British coinage very rarely make a mistake, either in the design or the composition of the most used coins.

But the mint has made mistakes in the past, although none of them was of a very serious nature. Certain copper halfpence, bearing date 1713 and 1714, were known as "error halfpence," some specimens of which may be found in collectors' cabinets. When Queen Anne ascended the throne in 1702, a fresh coinage was necessary. During the last two years of her reign, however, several patterns for copper coins were engraved at the mint by Croker, the principal mint engraver.

These were struck with artistic designs, in accordance with suggestions made to the Lord Treasurer by Dean Swift. None of these coins appears to have been put into circulation except No. 15, the farthing. Any of these halfpence, now to the fore among collectors, were probably struck from the dies after the Queen's death.

In the reign of George I there is another "error halfpenny," possibly unique, which has the King's head on both sides, due to the fact of it being struck from two obverse dies. The humble bawbee appears to have been the coin over which most mistakes were made at the mint, and one of these coins of George II, 1730, is remarkable for the omission of the letter "r" in the King's name, which reads "Geogius Rex." This was called in, and another with the name spelled correctly occurs in the same year.

Some time ago collectors were thrown into a state of excitement from the fact that a certain party offered to give £3 15s for 1872 halfpennies. Of course, there was a "catch" in the announcement, the simple explanation being that 1872 halfpennies are necessary to make up the sum of £3 15s.—[Vancouver Province.

MINE LONG SHUT DOWN OPERATES

Old Reymert Property at Superior Opened Under Lease

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SUPERIOR (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—The old Reymert mine, nine miles south of here, is again in operation, after many years of idleness. This property has been under consideration by a number of the larger mining interests of Arizona, but the ores, carrying silver and gold, are relatively low grade.

It is now under lease to W. J. Forbach, assisted by Albert Forbach of Los Angeles. Four trucks have been purchased to haul ore to the Magma smelter at this point. The mine was operated by J. D. Walker about forty years ago, and at one time a twenty-stamp mill was on the property. Until lately it has been under option to the Magma Copper Company.

In the third quarter of 1925, Magma Consolidated turned out 6,637,724 pounds of copper, at an announced cost of 6.91 cents a pound, which is about as low as any cost report in Arizona. Sales have been made during the quarter at a net rate of 14.49 cents a pound, equivalent to $1.20 a share earnings. During the nine months gross production was 20,639,301 pounds, at a cost of 6.69 cents a pound, giving net earnings of $1,491,756.

A Horrible Dream

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...ers will be given in this department ... communications on ores ... Address Min. and Sci. Editor, ... Times. Be sure to write a ... of the ore, and give the ... where ... Give ... ...ther is your prospect with ...

...Wo Silver

...ANGELES, Dec. 7.—Question: ...an sample taken from a ... hole in Arizona. Please ... how if it is high in lead ... and if, in your opinion, ... oil or high-grade ore.

G.

A.: Some prospect, that, in ... The sample is quartzitic ... heavily impregnated with ... ore (sulphide.) Silver sul... is the mineral Stephanite ... is present with more ... blende (zinc sulphide.) The ... is a very high-grade ... and I believe that you will have ... tonnage of similar ore ... prospect.

...Vanadinite

...ANGELES, Dec. 7.—Q.: ... ore herewith a sample ... mine in Arizona which I ... to be in part Vanadinite. ... said that ruby-red crystals ... mineral have been discov... that State within recent ... Unless the red hexagonal, ... crystals in this sam... Vanadinite, but want your ... or criticism which is ... us.

J.

A.: You're right, J! The crystals ... of vanadinite (lead van... ...ing the fines mixed ... there is some ... carbonate.) It is ... variety of mineral is ... ...ndinite as by you stated. ... of Vanadinite, also ... of Nogales, in plates ... inch. We know of a ... of Vanadinite in beautiful ... ...ending over ten pounds.

...Quartz

...ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Q.: ... Diego county. Is there ... ...ch rock? G.

A.: Only small specimen shows ... of native gold. The ... did not pan gold. ... (at gold) present ... ...osopic pyrite traces. For ... ...ld values kindly consult ...

...Ore Gold Absent

...NGTON (Utah) Dec. 8.—... sending you slight sam... Please test them for ... ...ding those of gold and ...

...ple No. 1 is silica. Nos. ... and 3, two samples 4 ... I are impure lime car... ...ed with silica and iron ... The reddish specimen ... number 4a) is a fair ... of hematite known as me... All of the samples ... for native gold with ... results. For other gold ... and silver you are po... ...ferred to assayers.

...Magnetite

...ERALE, Dec. 9.—Q.: I am ... you a boulder specimen ... miles from Acton, Cal. ... like to know the contents ... Please try it out for plati... and oilgs. V.

A.: The broken-up boulder, in ... is therefrom is readily ... a magnet. The sample ... to be magnetic iron ore ... a little microscopical ... resembling platinum. ... ...ically tested for native ... with negative results.

...Tolosa Mineral

...Dec. 8.—Q.: Would you ... me know through your ... ...th" department the ... this rock sample that ... ...ing you in separate con... ...thought it was chlorite, but ... so heavy. A friend of ... ...ht it is a lead ore. Thank... ...r past favors. M.

A.: There is little sericite in ... ...ple. Microscopic tourma... ...nd a trace of anti...

...Quartz

...ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Q.: I am ... you under separate cover ... of days, etc., that I found ... Glendale Mountain, in Im... county while prospecting ... ...ore (that I did not find,) ... about 400 feet long and ... It is not thick; has an ... of debris from 2 to 4 ... a bentonite, or just clay! ... lavender-colored material ... on the north end of ... stained with the clay and ... No. 1 is rock in place ... the lavender sample, No. ... ...colored nodular material ... the clay in places, and ... a foot under the the sur... No. 1 is on the south end of ... (bit of it) and like No. 1 ... down in water. Will you ... me if there is any com... ...ue in any of these sam... ...ere they in any way re... ...each other?

X.

A.: The mere fact that the ... is mixed up by nature at ... of the ledge, and al... ...ore found below the sur... ...ould show that the spe... ...ore somewhat related to ...

...ell know. It is no easy ... ...ticle clay-like minerals. ... and lavender colors ... of Halloysite, and ... pure Bentonite (medi... ...t any sample.

No. 1 is hydrous, im... ...ure; hydrous magnesium ... or less present and ... dendritic manganese. ... and microscopic horn... ...ts of fines re... ...traces of potassium ni... ...ate, potash, and soda ... ...ppears to be al... ...magnesium silicate ... ...silicate present; ... found, and a slight ... noted. No. 4 is silic... matter (probably ... ...) with impurities like ... it is a very much al... ...part; it reacts for ... iron alum sparing... ...and a little Jarosite ...ropertes) found.

...series of quantitative ...ight show other min... ...from numerous sam... ...tively, the values (if ...ntestinal.

...Selection Absent

...ELLY (Idaho) Dec. 10.—... separate cover I am ... you samples of rock. I ... to know what they con...

B.

...e quartzite (iron silicate ... rocks consists no native ... free gold. The sam... ...ered and owing to ... ...ere will within thirty miles ... ...ld. Idaho to make a test

WEEKLY STOCK RANGE

The public service department of the Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles issues the following table of the range of prices on the New York Stock Exchange for the week ending December 19, together with the net changes as compared with the close of the preceding week. (+Gain. −Loss.)

	Div. Rate	High	Low	Bid	Net change
Adams Express	6	110⅝	107	108	+ ⅝
Adv. Rumley		18⅝	17½	17½	+ ½
Ahumada Lead	30c	6¼	6¼	6¼	
Ajax Tire		19½	19	19⅛	+ ⅛
Alaska Juneau		9⅝	9⅜	9⅜	+ ⅛
Allied C. & Dye		118⅝	113	113¾	+ 2¾
Allis Chalmers	6	97⅝	93	93	+ 2½
Do. pfd	7	109	108½	108	− ½
Am. Agr. Chem	7	208¾	203	203	− 3
Am. Beet Sugar	4	34	33½	34¼	+ ½
Am. Bosch Mag		31½	31½	31½	+ ½
Am. Brake Shoe	3	58	56½	57	+ ½
Am. Can Co	5	264½	257	258½	+ 1
Do. pfd	7	124¾	120½	120½	− ½
Am. Car & F. Co	5	111⅝	108½	108½	− 1½
Do. pfd	7	125	121	121	− 2
Am. Drug Syn	2	4⅝	4½	4½	+ ⅛
Am. Express	6	140	136	136½	+ 1
Am. Hide & Lea		12½	12⅜	12⅜	− ⅛
Do. pfd		61½	60¼	60¼	− ¼
Am. Ice Sec	7	130	134	134	
Am. Int'l Corp	7	44½	42½	42½	
Am. La France	7	44¼	42¾	43	+ ¼
Am. Linseed		57⅝	55	55½	+ ⅝
Do. pfd		93	92	92½	+ ½
Am. Locomotive	8	120½	115¾	115¾	− 4
Do. pfd	7	110⅝	110¼	110	− ⅝
Am. Metals	7	101	100½	100½	− ½
Am. Radiator	4	53⅞	53¼	53¼	− ⅝
Am. Safety Raz	3.00	70⅝	68¾	68¾	− 1
Am. Ship & Com	4	46	45	45	
Am. Sm. & Ref	7	134½	134½	132¾	− 1¾
Do. pfd	7	114	113	113¾	+ ½
Am. Steel Fdy	3	44	43¾	43¾	+ ¼
Do. pfd	7			112½	+ ½
Am. Sugar	5	78⅝	73¾	75	
Do. pfd	7	104¾	101	100½	+ ¼
Am. Sumatra Tob		11⅞	10¾	10¾	− ⅛
Am. Tel. & Tel	9	143	142	142	− ¼
Am. Tob. Co	7	118½	113¾	114¼	− ¼
Do. "B"	7	114⅞	113¾	113¾	− ¼
Am. W. Works	1.20	78⅛	68½	69	− 6¾
Am. Woolen	4	44	43¾	43¾	− ¼
Do. pfd	7	91½	90¾	88	− 3¼
Am. Wt. Pap. pfd		5	5	5	
Am. Zinc & Lead		19	18⅝	18⅝	− ⅛
Do. pfd		43	39	39	− 3
Anaconda Copper	3.00	46⅝	45¼	45¼	− 1¼
Armour Ill. "A"	2.00	24⅝	24¼	24¼	− ⅜
Atl'd Dry Goods	2	34	33	33⅜	− ⅛
Associated Oil	2.00	39⅝	37¾	37¾	− 1⅝
Atchison R. R.	7	132⅜	127¾	129¼	+ 2⅛
Atl. Coast Line	7	133	129	129	− 2
Atl. Gulf & W. I		65¾	64¼	64¼	− 1
Do. pfd		85	84	84	− 1
Atl. Refining	2.00	1255	1235	1235	− 15
Atl. Marine		11	10	11	+ ⅛
Do. pfd		45	42	44	+ 1½
Atl. Nickel	2.00	49½	48	48	− ½
Do. pfd	7	95½	94	94	− 1
Atl. Tel. & Tel	6.00	114½	113½	113¾	− ¾
Jewel Tea		38⅝	34½	35½	+ ⅝
Jones Tea		19¼	19¼	19½	+ ⅛
Jordan Motor	3.00	18⅛	17¾	17¾	− ⅛
Julius Kayser		42¼	40¾	40¾	− ¾

	Div. Rate	High	Low	Bid	Net change
Kan. C. Southern	4	51	48	49	+ 1
Do. pfd	4	62½	62	61½	+ ½
Kelly Springfield	3	19½	18⅝	18	+ ⅛
Kelsey Wheel		118½	112½	116	+ 1
Kennecott Copp	4.00	55⅛	54¼	54	− ⅛
Keystone T. & W		2⅝	2	2	
Kresge Dept. Str		35½	31	30½	− 1½
Kress (S. H.) Co	4			500	
Laclede Gas	6	160	157	157	
Lee Tire		13	13	13	− ⅛
Lehigh Valley	3.50	89½	87	89½	+ 2¾
Liggett & Myers	5.00	91	88¼	88	
Lima Locomotive	4	70	68¼	68¼	− ¾
Lewis, Inc.	2.00	39¾	37¾	37¾	− 1¼
Loft Candy		7¼	7¼	7¼	− ⅛
Loew-W. Bis. Co		123	118	120	+ 3
Lorillard Tob. Co	3.00	97⅛	95¾	95¾	− 1⅛
Louisiana Oil		18¾	16⅝	17⅛	+ 1½
Louis. & Nash	4	147	142	145	− 1
Mack Truck	8.00	219	209½	211	− 2
Macy, R. H		186	182½	183	− 2
Magma Copper	3.00	45⅝	44	43	− ¼
Mallinson Co		24¾	23¾	23¾	+ ⅛
Manati Sugar		3	3	3	
Manhattan Gld		37	36	36	− ⅛
Manhat. Shirt	4	80	80	80	
Manhattan Shirt	3.00	45¾	45¼	45¼	− ¼
Maracaibo Oil		23½	20½	21	
Marland Oil				2	
Do. pfd				7	
Do. 2nd pfd				4	
Do. prior pfd		44½	40½	40¾	+ ¼
Marland Oil	3.00	58⅞	54½	54½	− 1
Martin-Parry	2	34¾	34¼	34¼	− ¼
May Dept. Stores	3.00	139	135½	136⅝	− ¼
Maxwell Co		41	39	39	− ¼
Melntyre Por	1.00	22¾	21¾	22¼	+ ¼
Met.-Gld. P. pfd	1.50	22¾	22½	22½	
Mex. Seaboard Oil		8	7¾	7¾	− ⅛
Miami Cop. Co	1.00	25⅛	24¾	24¾	− ⅛
Mid-Cont. Pet		41¾	41⅛	41⅛	− ⅛
Mid.St.Pet. & S.S.W.		20	17½	19½	+ 2
Mo., Kan. & Tex.		45¾	41¾	41¾	− 2¾
Do. pfd		71¾	68¾	68¾	− 2¾
Missouri Pacific		45¾	43¾	43¾	− 1¾
Do. pfd		89¾	86¾	86¾	− 2¾
Montana Power	4	89	87	87	− 1
Mont. Ward		34½	30½	31½	+ ¼
Moon Motors	3.00	36	34	34	
Moth. Lade. Comln.	7½	79½	72	72¾	+ ¼
Mullins Wheel Cpn.	2.00	18	17	17	− ⅛
Mullins Bodies		18⅝	18	17⅝	− ⅛
Munsing	3.00	38	36	36	− 1
Nash Motors	4.00	87⅝	84¼	84¼	− 2¼
Nat. Biscuit	3.50	77⅝	70½	70	− 1
Nat. Lead		118⅝	113¾	114	− 1¼
Do. "A"		119½	113¾	114	− 1¼
Do. "B"		119½	113¾	114	− 1¼
Do. Western	2.00	47⅝	45	45	− ⅝
Nat. Pow. & Lt	3.00	79⅝	72	72¾	+ ⅛
Nevada Cons		13¾	13¼	13¼	− ⅛
N.Y.A.B.M. Co	7	137½	131½	132	− 2
N. Y. Air Brake	3	38	37	37	− ½
N. Y. Canners		34	33	33½	+ ⅛
N. Y. Central	7	126⅜	124¾	125¾	+ ⅛
N. Y. Ch. & St. L	6	133	129	129	− 2
N. Y. Dock	4	51	49	49	− 1
N. Y. Dock pfd	4	62	60	60	− 1
N. Y. Gas & Elec		107	104	104	− 1
Niagara Falls P.	2.40	71	68½	68½	− ½
Nor. Pacific	5	91½	89¾	89¾	− ¾
Nunnally Co	2	31	30	30	− ½
Ohio Cities Gas	1.60	41	39	39	− ½
Ohio Fuel Supply	2	39¾	38¾	38¾	− ¼
Ohio Oil Co	4.00	134¾	127	127	− 4¾
Oklahoma Nat. Gas	3	41	39	39	− ½
Oliver Farm Eq		33	32	32	− ½
Do. "A"		33	32	32	− ½
Omnibus Corp		7¾	7¼	7¼	− ⅛
Owens Bottle	3.00	73	71	71	− 1
Pacific Gas & E	3	83	81	81	− ½
Pacific Oil	3.00	65	63¾	63¾	− ¼
Packard Motor	3.00	23¾	23	23	− ¼
Palge-Detroit	1.20	24¾	23¾	23¾	− ¼
Pan Am. Pet	2.00	67⅝	65¾	65¾	− 1¼
Do. "B"		67⅝	65¾	65¾	− 1¼
Do. Western	2.00	67⅝	65¾	65¾	− 1¼
Panhandle P. & R	3.00	39⅝	38¾	38¾	− ¼
Penn. R. R	3	43¾	42¾	43	+ ¼
Penn-Seaboard		79⅞	72	72¾	+ 1¼
Pere Marquette		23	22	22	− ½
Do. pfd		49	48	48	− ½
Philadelphia Co	4.00	65½	64	64	− ½
Phillips Petrol		20	19¾	19¾	− ⅛
Phillips Pet.	2.00	45	44	44	− ½
Phoenix Hosiery		35	34	34	− ½
Pierce-Arrow	4	25	24	24	− ½
Do. pfd		70	69	69	− 1
Pierce Oil		3¾	3½	3½	− ⅛
Do. pfd		9	8¾	8¾	− ⅛
Pittsburgh Coal		71¾	69¾	70	− ¼
Pitts. & W. Va		97	95	95	− 1
Pittsburgh Steel	4.00	120⅞	118½	118½	− 1½
Pittsburgh Steel Cor		116	114	114	− 1
Do. pfd	7.00	99	97	97	− 1
Prod. & Ref		21	20	20	− ½
Pub. Serv. N. J	4	106⅝	105¾	105¾	− ⅛
Punta Alegre Sg	3.00	50	49	49	− ½
Pure Oil	1.60	35¾	34¾	34¾	− ¼
Radio Corp		59	57	57	− 1
Rand Mines		8	8	8	
Reading		89	87¾	87¾	− ¼
Reading Coal		45¾	44¼	44¼	− ¼
Remington Arms	4.20	49½	47¾	47¾	− ¾
Do. 1st pfd	2.00	45	44	44	− ½
Do. 2nd pfd	2.00	43	42	42	− ½
Republic Steel	3.00	61¾	59¾	59¾	− 1
Do. pfd		97	96	96	− ½
Reynolds Tob. B	3.00	117½	114¾	114¾	− 1¾
Reynolds Tob. Co	1.00	87	85	85	− 1
Royal Dutch N. Y		51¾	50¾	50¾	− ¾
Savage Arms		13	12½	12½	− ⅛
		In stock			
Schultz Stores		132½	129½	129½	− 2½
Seaboard Oil		43¾	42¾	42¾	− ¼
Sears-Roebuck	3	236	227½	229½	− 3½
Shattuck Ariz. Cop		23	22	22	− ½
Shell Tr. & Tr		34¾	33¾	33¾	− ¼
Shell-Union Oil	1.40	20¾	19¾	19¾	− ⅛
Simmons Co	4	74	72	72	− 1
Simms Pete. Co	1.60	23	22	22	− ½
Sinclair Oil		29¾	28¾	28¾	− ¼
Skelly Oil	2.00	31¾	30¾	30¾	− ¼
Snider Packing		17	16	16	− ½
Southern Pacific	6	98⅝	96¾	96¾	− ¾
Southern Railway	3	31⅝	30¾	30¾	− ¼
Do. pfd		83	82	82	− ½
S. Porto R. Sug	8.00	140	140	140	
Stand. Gas & El	4	74¾	72¾	73	− ¾
Standard Oil (Cal)	2.00	44¾	43¾	43¾	− ¼
Do. New Jersey	1.60	41¾	40¾	40¾	− ¼
Do. New York	1.20	27¾	27	27	− ¼
Stand. Plate Glass		9⅝	9¼	9¼	− ⅛
Stewart Motor	1.00	15	14½	14½	− ⅛
Stewart-Warner	3.00	66	64	64	− 1
St. Joseph Lead	2.00	44½	43¾	43¾	− ¼
St. L. & S. F		6¾	6¼	6¼	− ⅛
Do. pfd		13¾	13¼	13¼	− ⅛
St. L. & S. W		25¾	24¾	24¾	− ¼
Do. pfd		49¾	48¾	48¾	− ¼
Studebaker Corp	3.00	69	67¾	67¾	− 1¼
Submarine Boat		6⅝	6⅜	6⅜	− ⅛
Sun Oil	4.00	107	104	104	− 2
Superior Steel		39	38	38	− ½
Texas Co	2.00	57¾	56¾	56¾	− ¾
Texas Gulf Sulp	2.40	77	74¾	74¾	− 1¼
Texas Pac. C. & O		11¾	11¼	11¼	− ⅛
Third Ave. Ry		38	37	37	− ½
Timken Roll Brg	3.50	71¾	69¾	69¾	− 1¼
Timken Roll Brg.	3.50	71¾	69¾	69¾	− 1¼
Tobacco Products	7	99	97	97	− 1
Do. pfd	7	118	118	118	
Transcontinental O		4¾	4½	4½	− ⅛
Transue & Wms		19	18	18	− ½
Union Bag & Paper		134	130	130	− 3
Union Oil Cal	1.60	32	31	31	− ½
Union Pacific	10	154½	150½	150½	− 3
Do. pfd	4	79	78	78	− ½
United Alloy Steel	2	31	30	30	− ½
United Cigar Stores	7	148½	142½	142½	− 5½
United Fruit	10.00	129¾	125¾	126	− 3¾
United Retail Stores		8¾	8¼	8¼	− ⅛
Do. pfd		37	36	36	− ½
U. S. Cast Iron P		39	38	38	− ½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	2	39¾	38¾	38¾	− ¼
U. S. Rlty. & Imp	4	179½	168	168	− 10½
U. S. Rubber		73¾	71¾	71¾	− 1¼
Do. 1st pfd		109¾	107¾	107¾	− 1¼
U. S. Smelting	4	74	72	72	− 1
U. S. Steel Corp	5	133	131¾	131¾	− ¼
Do. pfd		133	133	133	
Utah Copper	4.00	105	103	103	− 1
Vanadium Steel	2.50	48½	47¾	48	− ¼
Va.-Car. Ch. Co	2.00	89¾	89¾	89¾	− ¼
Do. pfd		89¾	84¾	84	− 1
Va. Coal & Coke		41		41	
Van Raalte		4		4	
Wabash R. R		44½	40¾	42¾	+ 2¼
Do. "A"		79½	72	72¾	+ 1¼
Do. "B"		44½	40¾	42¾	+ 2¼
Warner Bros. A	1.50	19	16	17⅜	− ⅛
Warner Sugar	2.00	27	24	24	− 2
Warner Sug. Refin	3.00	127	124	124	− 3
Wayne Coal	4.00	78¾	74½	74½	− 2¾
West Maryland		17¾	16¾	16¾	+ ⅛
Western Pacific		37½	36	36	− ½
Do. pfd		70	70	70	− 1
Western Union	4	83	81	81	− 1
Westinghouse E. &	3	52	50¾	50¾	− ¾
White Eagle Oil	1.60	28¾	27¾	28	− ¼
White Motors	4.00	78⅝	75¾	75¾	− 2
Willys-Overland		27⅝	25⅝	25¾	− 1⅝
Do. pfd		59¾	57¾	57¾	− 1¾
Woolworth	3.00	225½	220½	220½	− 4
Wor. Pump		46⅝	43½	43½	+ ½
Wrigley Jr	4	76	74	74	− 1
Yel. Cab Mfg. B	2.25	28	27¾	27¾	− ¼
Youngs. Sht. & Tt	4.00	99½	96	95¾	− 2½

SHIPPING and Los Angeles Harbor NEWS

OIL STORAGE AT PORT INCREASED

Construction on New Lomita Project Starts Today

Reservoir to Have Capacity of 4,500,000 Barrels

Huge Concrete Tank First of Contemplated Series

Harbor oil-storage facilities will make another big increase today, when work starts at Lomita on the construction by the Pan-American Petroleum Company of the first of a series of 4,500,000-barrel concrete petroleum reservoirs. The Pan-American's new storage area is a forty-acre tract on both sides of Western avenue.

Completion of the new reservoir will bring the storage capacity of the Watson-Lomita area to approximately 45,000,000 barrels, exclusive of the Union Oil refineries and the eight loading terminals at Los Angeles Harbor, which together give the port a total petroleum storage capacity of more than 50,000,000 barrels, or 670 shiploads of oil.

Pan-American officials announced yesterday that construction is progressing rapidly on the fourth 3,000,000-barrel reservoir at the Watson refinery and that construction of a second one of 4,500,000 barrels capacity will probably follow the new Lomita reservoir.

NEW CRUISER TO BE CHRISTMAS GIFT

Some member of the family of a certain local yachtsman will have a pleasant surprise on Christmas morning when father takes him down to the harbor and presents him with the $27,000 fifty-foot express cruiser just completed by the Wilmington Boat Works. The "surprise packet" is regarded as the finest power cruiser of her size ever to grace local waters.

In her final trials on the bay yesterday the new boat, powered with two 200-horsepower motors, developed a speed of thirty knots on an even throttle.

She is luxuriously fitted for offshore cruising, being finished in enamel and mahogany, and has accommodations for five persons in her afterstateroom, with quarters for a crew of two men forward.

Work is also approaching completion at the Wilmington Boat Works on the sixty-three-foot cruising schooner being built for Lewis Stiles Morse, the new Santa Barbara High Ancobman who is also finishing designs for a forty-five-foot schooner to be built by the same firm for a local sportsman.

One hundred passengers left Los Angeles for the Orient yesterday aboard the Dollar liner President Grant, bound for Honolulu, Kobe, Shanghai, Kiukiang, Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Port Said, Naples and Gibraltar. The President Grant also carried a number of passengers and 1000 tons of Chilean nitrates here and also has aboard 7000 tons of cargo for Atlantic ports.

The Holland-American liner Edam, 12,000 tons, is at the port today following completion of her first voyage to the Orient via the Panama Canal. She left Victoria, twenty new plates being installed where the vessel had been strained during her last Pacific tour in a fog off Puget Sound. The Edam, which will take out for London and Rotterdam 1000 tons of California dried fruits, 1000 tons of canned goods.

Word from the Norwegian steamer Nicu Nielsen, for a salvage claim of $50,000 by the Frank R. Constantine Steamship Company, owners of the steamer Rosecrans, was received at Constantine's office on the harbor yesterday. The Nicu Nielsen, while on the route here from New York on October 7th inst., broke her high pressure turbine gear and pinion 360 miles south of Los Angeles Harbor. Constantine's steamer Rosecrans was taken in tow by the Queenswood, which later relinquished the tow to the Merritt, Chapman & Scott salvage tug Peasack. Owners of the Queenswood maintain that under international admiralty law the Queenswood is entitled to salvage on the Nicu Nielsen, which is at the local yards of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, pending the arrival of new gears.

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OUTER HARBOR DISTRICT

North Side.

...—Outer Harbor Dock and Wharf Company.
...—Kruger.
...—Municipal Docks, Dunsmuir Cannery.
...—American States Line (McCormick & McPherson.)
...—Pacific Steamship Line, Furness Line.
...—Pan-American Petroleum Company.

SAN PEDRO DISTRICT

...—Southern Pacific wharf, south of Fifth street.
...—Southern Pacific wharf, north of Fifth street.
...—Fish Company.
...—Berger & Hart, Inc., J. A. Dimock Line.
...—Eagle & Drake Whse.
...—Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill & Lumber Company.
...—Stockton Mill Co.

WEST BASIN DISTRICT

...—A. Lanzer Products Company.
...—Pacific Coast Borax Co., Dept. Sub Co.
...—Associated Oil Company.
...—San Pedro Lumber Company.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

...—Union Oil Company.
...—Pacific Coast Steamship Company, Admiral Line, Panama-Pacific Line.
...—Los Angeles Steamship Company; United Line.
...—Williams Line.
...—Thomas A. Scott, Inc., Transmarine Corp.
...—Indian Petroleum Corporation.
...—Rockefeller Company.
...—California Petroleum Corporation.
...—Pacific Steamship Lines, Admiral Line.
...—McCormick Steamship Company.
...—Municipal Oil Loading Wharf.
...—Columbia Terminal.
...—C. J. Lahman Vegetable Oil Company.
...—Pacific Mail Steamship Company; Garland Line.
...—Norton, Lilly & Co.
...—Municipal Stockyard.
...—Pacific Coast Lumber Company.
...—Municipal Oil Loading Wharf.
...—C. W. Hills Lumber Company.
...—Consolidated Lumber Company.

TERMINAL ISLAND DISTRICT

...—Petroleum Export Company.
...—Hammond Lumber Company.
...—Berger.
...—General Steamship Corporation.
...—Dreesel Wharf and Warehouse Company.
...—Luckenbach Steamship Co. (northend.)
...—Luckenbach Steamship Co. (southend.)
...—Gilmore Oil Co.
...—Pacific Petroleum Corporation.
...—Bethlehem Building Corp.

CARGO VESSELS ARRIVING AT THIS PORT

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

Steamer STANWOOD, Capt. Swanson, from Everett, 4:30 p. m. Lumber for W. H. Chamberlain Company.

Steamer SOLANO, Capt. Master, from San Diego, 8 a.m., partial cargo for Hart-Wood Lumber Company. J. Riley, local agent.

Steamer HORACE L. BAXTER, Capt. Johansen, from Seattle via San Francisco, 4:35 a.m. Partial lumber cargo for J. H. Baxter Company.

Tanker LIBBEE, Capt. Turnstin, from Seattle, 8 a.m. To load oil for General Petroleum Corporation.

Steamer YALE, Capt. Self, from San Francisco, 10:30 a.m. Passengers and freight for Los Angeles Steamship Company.

United States Navy tanker RAMAPO, from San Diego, 1:30 p.m., to load oil for United States Navy.

R.M.S. DIOMEDE, from Balboa, 1:35 p.m.

Tanker D. G. SCOFIELD, Capt. Fox, from Richmond, 8 p.m., to load oil for Standard Oil Company of California.

Steamer HARVARD, Capt. Paulsen, from San Diego, 4:30 p.m. Passengers and freight for Los Angeles Steamship Company.

Steamer AVALON, Capt. Mussetter, from Avalon, 8:15 p.m., passengers and freight for Wilmington Transportation Company.

Steamer SANTA BARBARA, Capt. Hansen, from Eureka, 7:35 p.m., lumber cargo for J. R. Hanify Company.

Tanker RICHFIELD, Capt. Smith, from Seattle, 4:35 p.m., to load oil for Standard Oil Company of California.

DUE TO ARRIVE

9 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT

British motorship LONDON SHIPPER, Capt. Buckler, from United Kingdom, passengers and freight for Furness Line, Western Steamship Agency, Inc., local agents.

Steamer WEST KEATA, Capt. Reed, from New York, general cargo for California and eastern steamship companies.

Tanker SALINA, Capt. Grane, from Seattle, to load oil, on account of Struthers & Barry.

Steamer ANN HANIFY, Capt. Zoddart, from Gray's Harbor, lumber cargo for J. R. Hanify Company.

DEPARTURES

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

British Steamer ROMANSTAR, for British Columbia, 1:35 a. m. General cargo for Blue Star Line. Dollar Steamship Company, local agents.

Steamer LILLIAN LUCKENBACH, Capt. Bown, for Boston, 2 a. m. General cargo for Luckenbach Lines.

Motorship FRANK LYNCH, Capt. Hammersten, for San Francisco, 2:10 a. m. General cargo for Pacific-Caribbean and Gulf Line. Swayne and Hoyt, local agents.

Steamer PAUL LUCKENBACH, Capt. Lewald, for San Francisco, 3:30 a. m. General cargo for Luckenbach Lines.

Steamer EDGAR LUCKENBACH, Capt. McCarthy, for Mobile, 8 a. m. General cargo for Luckenbach Lines.

Tanker LOS ANGELES, Capt. Carlson, for Martinez, 75,000 barrels of oil for Union Oil Company.

Steamer AVALON, Capt. Mussetter, for Avalon, 10:35 a. m. Passengers, mail and freight for Wilmington Transportation Company.

Steamer ADMIRAL SCHLEY, Capt. Glass, for Seattle, 11:40 a. m. Passengers and freight for Pacific Steamship Company.

Steamer YALE, Capt. Self, for San Diego, 5:30 p. m. Passengers and freight for Los Angeles Steamship Company.

Japanese Steamer GINYO MARU, Capt. Jin, for Japanese ports, 6 p. m. Passengers and freight for Kosa, 2:45 p. m. Sam L. Kreider, local agent.

Steamer HARVARD, Capt. Paulsen, for San Francisco, 4:30 p. m. Passengers and freight for Los Angeles Steamship Company.

Steamer WEST CONOS, Capt. Jacobsen, for Montevideo, 5:45 p. m. General cargo for Pacific Argentine and Brazil Line.

DUE TO DEPART

9 P. M. TO MIDNIGHT

Tanker D. G. SCOFIELD, Capt. Fox, for Richmond, 81,000 barrels oil for Standard Oil Company of California.

Tanker RICHFIELD, Capt. Louns, for San Francisco, 85,000 barrels oil for Richfield Oil Company.

DUE TO ARRIVE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

Steamer ADMIRAL FARAGUT, Capt. Grier, from Portland. Passengers and 6 freight for Pacific Steamship Company.

Mexican Steamer CHIHUAHUA, Capt. Cordova, for San Francisco. Passengers and freight for Mexican States Line, McCormick & MacPherson, local agents.

German Steamer HESSEN, Capt. Meisner, for San Franc

GOOPS!

A Daily Lesson in Manners for Children

—BY GELETT BURGESS—

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NOT ANSWERING PROMPTLY

A little lady that I know
Is very nice, but very slow.
And, when she's busy at her play,
She's so reluctant to obey
One has to call her till one's hoarse;
She really is a Goop, of course.

WHAT'S DOING TODAY

Los Angeles City Club open forum meeting, clubhouse, 833 South Spring, 8 p.m. Dr. Hurlbert Fuller will speak on "How We Think and Don't."

Woman's City Club business meeting, 940 South Figueroa, 1 p. m. Breakfast program at 11 a.m.

Ministers of the Premillennial Association of Los Angeles, luncheon meeting, Bible Institute, noon. Dr. Robert A. Hadden will speak on "Who Are the Old Testament Sons of God?"

Los Angeles Transportation Club meeting and program, Pioneer Paper Company, Fifty-fifth and Alameda, noon.

Disabled Veterans' children's Christmas party, 246 South Hill, evening.

Widow's Protective League meeting, Rosslyn, evening. F. J. Buckley will speak on "Los Angeles Real Estate."

Wilshire Boulevard Congregational Church Christmas program, Wilshire and Plymouth, evening.

Divine Science Fellowship meeting, 424 South Broadway, evening. Christian D. Larson will speak.

Justinian Club Christmas high jinks, Alexandria, evening.

Southwest Museum exhibit, Marmion Way and Avenue 46, afternoon.

Los Angeles Museum exhibit, Exposition Park, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Free permanent California exhibit, scenic motion pictures, State Exposition Building, Exposition Park, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Illustrated lectures, scenic motion pictures, Chamber of Commerce, 10 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

STATE SOCIETIES

Oklahoma State Society program and dance, 246 South Hill, evening.

MOTION PICTURES

Alhambra, 731 South Hill—"The Eagle."

Criterion, Grand at Seventh—"Why Women Love."

Forum, Pico at Norton—"The Verdict."

Grauman's Egyptian, 6708 Hollywood—"The Big Parade."

Grauman's Metropolitan, Sixth and Hill—"Cobra."

Grauman's Million Dollar, Third and Broadway—"The Merry Widow."

Grauman's Rialto, 812 South Broadway—"The Pony Express."

Loew's State, Seventh and Broadway—"The Beautiful City."

Tally's Broadway, 838 South Broadway—"Bobbed Hair."

STAGE

Egan Theater, Pico and Figueroa—"White Collars."

Majestic, 845 South Broadway—"The Show-Off."

Morosco Theater, 744 South Broadway—"Kiki."

Orange Grove, 736 South Grand—"White Cargo."

Playhouse, 940 South Figueroa—"What Price Glory."

VARIETIES

Burbank, Sixth and Main—"The Girl Friend's Revue."

Hillstreet, Eighth and Hill—Berkes and Terry.

Hippodrome, Main and Fourth—"The Overland Limited."

Orpheum, 630 South Broadway—Benny Leonard.

Pantages, Seventh and Hill—vaudeville.

TENANTS FIX PENALTY OF LANDLORD

Owner Convicted of Not Furnishing Enough Heat for Apartment Gets Fine

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Even the janitor testified in Morrisania Police Court against Herman Steinhardt of 791 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, owner of an apartment-house at 80 Featherbed Lane, Bronx, when he was arraigned on a charge of refusing to furnish adequate heat. The thirty-six tenants of the house and their children were in court, and after Magistrate Vitale had found Steinhardt guilty of what he characterized as a "brutal violation" of the law he lined them up in front of the bench and said.

"Now I am going to leave it to you people who have suffered through this man's callous neglect to fix punishment. If you say so I'll send him to jail for thirty days."

Steinhardt turned pale. But the tenants were not unduly vindictive. Unanimously they asked that the landlord be saved from jail. Magistrate Vitale fined him $250, which he paid.

"If conditions in that house are not remedied by the time an inspection is made," said the Court to Steinhardt, "I will have you arraigned again and send you to the workhouse for six months."

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

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HIGH SIERRAS CENTURIES OLD

Youngest of Mountains Date Back 200,000,000 Years

Former Wife Insists on Terms of Settlement

Porterville Salvage Shop Meets Charity Need

TULARE, Dec. 20.—High Sierras in the Giant Forest region of Sequoia National Park are 200,000,000 years old, but in spite of this are the youngest of the three mountain ranges on the North American continent, Ranger George Magley, in charge of winter quarters at Giant Forest, told Tulare Lions in an interesting address given at their weekly luncheon.

Ranger Magley declared that this statement regarding age and youth of the local mountains was made by a geologist on a recent visit to Giant Forest. The ranger also spoke of beauty and grandeur of the Giant sequoias, the oldest and largest living things, with which he has become intimately acquainted during his years of service in the forest.

WIFE DEMANDS PROPERTY

LINDSAY, Dec. 20.—Ethel Wotten of Lindsay, who in 1923 went into the Superior Court of Tulare county with a suit against Jess Wotten, her former husband, declaring he had used fraud to induce her to stipulate that he should retain possession and title to $100,000 worth of citrus property near Lindsay in a property settlement, and secured an agreement whereby she was to clear title to the home place, has now filed a new suit against Wotten, alleging that he has never given her the deed to the property involved. She asks the court to enforce the agreement under which her previous suit was dismissed. Cash agreed upon at that time has been paid, she states, but the residence property described as Lot No. 27 of the Paradise colony tract, has not been deeded.

BEST-DRESSED WINDOW

LINDSAY, Dec. 20.—Charles J. Schaible, jeweler, was given first prize in the Christmas window contest by the Booster Club. W. L. Keeley, haberdasher, took second for artistic arrangement and most advantageous display of merchandise. The Buckmaster hardware store received third prize for the most original exhibits.

Mrs. W. S. Cairns, D. B. Olney and W. H. Perkins acted as judges. During the evening the merchants observed open house, and Santa Claus appeared on the streets.

UNUSUAL WATER SUIT

VISALIA, Dec. 20.—Considerable attention was attracted to the case of Frank R. Alcorn against W. P. Baucom, wherein the plaintiff asks damages in the amount of $544 from the defendant because the plaintiff received too much water. This case is absolutely opposite from many filed in Tulare county, where water is at a premium.

Alcorn contends that water from the defendant's land, which was being irrigated; poured through a gopher hole and into the Alcorn well pit, resulting in the burning out of an electric motor.

Superior Judge J. A. Allen has taken the matter under advisement.

ALUMNI BANQUET

WOODLAKE, Dec. 20.—The annual banquet of the Woodlake Alumni will be held on the evening of December 29th at the club rooms of the Woodlake Club. Elaborate plans are being made for a big homecoming event, with toasts, class stunts, a jolly social time and dancing featured.

PRACTICAL CHARITY

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 20.—The Salvage Shop, conducted by the Porterville W.C.T.U. during the past year, has filled a real community need and has been the means of accomplishing considerable charity work. Acting as a clearing house for discarded clothing, household or other things known as salvage, the shop has had a busy period. All things brought to the shop were cleaned and repaired, a matron being in charge at all times and other members giving their time when needed.

Besides articles sold much clothing has been given to needy people, each case being first investigated. A mother with eleven children clothed her family from articles secured at the shop, thus avoiding seeking county aid. For two weeks the shop was operated by welfare organizations and funds thus secured used for special purposes, $170 being used for Porterville's free dental clinic for children.

Church to Give Pilgrim Play This Evening

Celebrating the three hundred and fifth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers on the New England coast, Percy Mackaye's drama, "The Pilgrim and the Book," will be presented this evening at the Wilshire Boulevard Congregational Church. The public is invited and seats will be free.

The play will be directed by Ruth Helen Davis, assisted by Rosamonde Joyzelle and Gabriel Ravenelle. The music will be in charge of Gage Christopher and among the soloists will be Ruth Somerindyke, Georgianna Strauss and W. J. Reed, with Mrs. Harry K. Brown at the organ.

Principal characters in the cast will be portrayed by Olney K. Walker, Boyd Irwin, Ruth Helen Davis, William McLaughlin, Norman Peck, Bonar Dyer, Rosamonde Joyzelle, Carl Brueckner, Robert Gordon, Carolyn Whittingham, Dorothy France, Ethel Guy, Gabriel Ravenelle, Anna Louise Parrett and Kenneth Randall.

The growth of Los Angeles in the last forty years is graphically shown in the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1. You will want all your eastern friends to see it.

PLATICAS DE LOS LUNES

Por el Profesor R. Guerrero
DEL DEPARTAMENTO ESPAÑOL DE "THE TIMES"

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Al final del primer párrafo de la Plática 888 dice "desterrado Valladolid" en vez de "desterrado a Valladolid"; en la última parte del tercer párrafo se lee "resuelto de partise", y debe ser "resuelto de partirse". Cuatro líneas más abajo dice "Solés" por "Solís".

Ejemplos del uso de "cuando menos": "Casi arrepentido de su resolución, cuando menos aventurada, no acertaba a contener la tropa" (A. Galiano, "Recuerdos", p. 305); "Como el mal deja semillas, éstas germinarán andando los años, y cuando menos ha de nacer de ellas una raba que, empezando por ver zurcidos en el Quijote, acabe por negar la existencia de su autor" (Pereda, "Esbozos y rasguños" p. 394).

Con el valor de "supuesto que" introduce "cuando" una proposición causal, o sea una razón en favor de lo que se dice. Consíntese en este caso con indicativo: "Pues ¿adónde, Virgen, miraréis, cuando el cielo y la tierra parece que han hoy conjurado contra vos?" (Granada, "Adic. al Mem. med.", 17, 21); "Que un padre que centra mí—Tanto rigor sabe usar . . .—De poca importancia fué—Que los brazos no me dé.—Cuando el ser de hombre me quita" (Calderón, "La vida es sueño", 2, 6); "Sin duda eran (estas obras) de mucha consideración, cuando para ellas le llamaban no menos que el rey y el obispo de allí" (Jovellanos, "Mem. sobre los conventos de S. Dom. y S. Franc."); "¡Notable prueba de su poder (de la superstición), cuando no le vencen el interés ni la necesidad!" (Id., "Descr. del cast. de Bellver"); "La gente que acude los días de fiesta por la mañana a la plaza de San Marcos no forma un conjunto correspondiente a la grandeza de tal ciudad, ni menos la que se ve reunida en un teatro, cuando en los seis o siete que restan hay otra tanta" (Moratín, "Obras póstumas", 1, p. 410); "Dirémos que Romey no conocía nuestra historia literaria, cuando colocaba a Ferreras al lado de Mariana" (Lista, "Ensayos", 1, p. 99).

Con el valor de "aunque", introduce "cuando" una proposición adversativa, o sea una razón en contra de lo que se dice, y pide el modo subjuntivo. Unas veces el presente: "Cuando sus acciones (del valido) agraden al príncipe y al pueblo, no suelen agradar las de sus domésticos y parientes" (Saavedra, "Emp.", 50); "Cuando alguno fuese capaz de todos los manejos, no por esto los ha de llenar todos" (Id., "Ib.", 52); "Y cuando haya de mí mucha memoria y muy honorífica, muy poco se le dará a mi alma, si no goza de Dios" (Puente, "Med.", 1, 10); "Donde no dejarás la mesa ayuno, —Cuando te falte en ella el pece raro,—O cuando su pavón nos niegue Juno" ("Epístola moral"); "Ocio y seguridad pretende en vano,—Pues tras el luengo errar de agua y montañas.—Cuando el metal precioso coja a mano,—No ha de ver sin cuidado abrir el día" (Rioja, "A la riqueza"); "Y cuando sea cierto que os ayuden, ¿con qué gravámenes os enviarán ese socorro?" (Melo, "Guerra de Cataluña", 8); "Sin esta ilustración, las láminas grabadas serán mudas y muertas; podrán entretener, mas no instruir; y cuando satisfagan la curiosidad, ciertamente que no llenarán el deseo de los amantes de las artes" (Jovellanos, "Informe sobre los monumentos de Granada y Córdoba").

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Con el mismo significado de "aunque", constrúyese a veces "cuando" con imperfecto de subjuntivo: "Cuando tuviera defetos mayores, me pareciera banquete formado" (Alemán, "Guzmán", 1, 1, 5); "Sabe Dios cuántas veces me pesó de haber dejado la compañía del hablador, cuando hablara mucho y me enfadara, mas al fin no me pusiera en el peligro en que estuve" (Espinel, "Escud.", 1, 20); "Ya fuí de parecer que, cuando la matáesemos (a la sierpe), ella mataría a alguno de nosotros, y así la dejamos" (Id., "Ib.", 2, 19); "Aunque le había hecho (el emperador) muchas hónras, no las tenía él por iguales a sus servicios, y cuando lo fueran, . . . el no era hombre que por correspondere a ellas olvidaría las obligaciones que tenía en primer lugar" (Moncada, "Exped.", 24); "Les respondió con palabras tan pesadas y tan llenas de mil ultrajes y afrentas, que cuando no vinieran tan resueltos de apartarse de su servicio, sólo esta respuesta les obligara a procurar vengarse" (Id., "Ib.", 64); "Si estuve anoche contigo,—¿Cómo pude estar con él?—¿Cuándo había de hablarle (espero Saber), cuando yo quisiera?" (Rojas, "Entre bobos anda el juego", 2).

ADDITIONAL STREET CARS TO RUN TODAY

Arrangements have been made by the Los Angeles Railway to operate 955 street cars today at the opening of the final Christmas shopping week, and to run additional cars the rest of the week, according to traffic requirements. Forty-five extra cars will go on the various lines at 10 a.m., particularly for the accommodation of Christmas shoppers. The number of street-car riders is well ahead of the corresponding period of last year, according to officials of the yellow-car system.

Discarded Navy Craft Urged as College Ships

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Dec. 20.—The United States government would save millions of dollars and give a tremendous impetus to world brotherhood by literally "beating its swords into ploughshares," in the opinion of Dr. Charles M. Sheldon, editor of The Christian Herald and for thirty years a Congregational Church pastor here.

Dr. Sheldon is advocating the use of discarded navy vessels as "University Ships," and a "Secretary of Peace" in the President's Cabinet.

"Battleships that cost millions were scrapped after the disarmament conference at Washington," he declared. "Old shipping board vessels are still being destroyed. How much better if they could have been converted into university ships, to take the pick of our college students around the world on an educational tour.

"Wouldn't it be fine to remove the guns and munitions and fill the holds with provisions and merchandise; take aboard 5000 students and professors, and go from continent to continent studying daily as they would at home?"

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THE WEATHER

[Official Report]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 20.—[Reported by H. B. Hoover, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.09; at 5 p.m., 30.11. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 64 per cent; 5 p.m., 35 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Temperatures, highest, 67 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Rainfall for season, 8.87 inches; normal to date, 8.87 inches; last season to date, 5.82 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, with moderate temperature.

STATE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, rain during the night; moderate temperature; moderate to fresh southerly winds.

Northern California: Cloudy south and unsettled, followed by rain north portion; moderate temperature; variable winds, becoming fresh southerly.

Sacramento Valley: Unsettled, followed by rains; moderate temperature; gentle, variable winds, becoming southerly.

Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Cloudy, unsettled with rain; moderate temperature; gentle, variable winds.

Southern California: Fair, normal temperature; gentle, variable winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—Forecast for Arizona: Monday and Tuesday, fair; little change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge tonight Colorado River, 19 feet. Discharge; Sunday, 8170 cubic feet.

TEMPERATURES

Stations—Conditions	Precip. in inches	5 a.m. Max.	5 a.m. Min.	5 p.m.
Abilene—Clear		52	26	50
Boise—Cloudy		36	26	32
Boston—Raining		42	36	37
Buffalo—Raining		42	34	36
Chicago—Raining		36	32	34
Denver—Partly cloudy		50	22	48
Des Moines—Snowing		30	22	26
Dodge City—Snowing		32	22	30
Eureka—Cloudy		52	46	50
Flagstaff—Clear		48	16	46
Fresno—Cloudy		54	36	52
Galveston—Partly cloudy		70	52	68
Havre—Snowing		34	24	32
Helena—Cloudy		44	26	42
Huron—Snowing		38	24	34
Kamloops—Cloudy		34	24	32
Kansas City—Snowing		34	26	32
Knoxville—Clear		48	30	46
Los Angeles—Partly cloudy		67	49	60
Memphis—Clear		58	36	56
Modena—Clear		44	16	42
Needles—Clear		64	34	62
New Orleans—Cloudy		66	52	64
New York—Raining		46	42	44
North Head—Raining		52	46	50
Oklahoma—Cloudy		36	30	34
Phoenix—Clear		58	24	56
Pittsburgh—Raining		44	36	40
Portland, Or.—Raining		44	34	42
Rapid City—Partly cloudy		42	24	40
Red Bluff—Partly cloudy		52	30	50
Roseburg—Cloudy		48	32	44
Sacramento—Clear		54	34	52
St. Louis—Raining		42	34	38
Minneapolis—Snowing		32	22	30
San Diego—Partly cloudy		62	46	60
Santa Fe—Partly cloudy		46	20	44
Salt Lake City—Partly cloudy		38	24	36
San Diego—Partly cloudy		62	46	60
San Francisco—Cloudy		56	46	54
San Luis Obispo—Clear		66	36	64
Seattle—Raining		46	40	44
Spokane—Raining		36	30	34
Tampa—Raining		74	62	72
Tonopah—Clear		52	30	50
Tucson—Clear		62	24	60
Washington—Raining		44	42	42
Winnemucca—Cloudy		38	24	36
Winnipeg—Snowing		26	14	24
Yuma—Clear		66	34	64

VITAL RECORD

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements.

BAKER. At 210 Branch street, Melinda B. Baker, beloved sister of Annie W. Baker. Funeral services at Cesare's Tuesday, 1 p.m.

BARBER. December 18, Milton G. Barber. Funeral services at Brunes Brothers' chapel, 650 Figueroa, Monday at 11 a.m.

BRUTSCHER. The remains of Margaret Ann Brutscher will be shipped to Lolley (Kan.) for interment today by R. C. Dallenbaugh & Co., 630 Venice Boulevard.

CARLETON. At Artesia, Cal., Ben H. Carleton, formerly of Hope, Ida., aged 55 years. Funeral at 10 a.m. Tuesday, December 22, from Thomas L. Miller's funeral parlors, Downey, Cal., under the auspices of the Artesia Masonic Lodge. Cremation at Evergreen Cemetery.

CORP. December 20, in this city, John Corp. Remains at Pierce Brothers, 720 West Washington street. Notice of funeral later.

CROSS. Dr. Hiram H. Cross, late of 661 Lucas street.

Funeral service Thursday, 2 p.m., in the Bramble Funeral Church, 1218 Temple street, near Washington, auspices of Grand Army of the Republic.

CULLIFER. Funeral services for Benjamin F. Cullifer, late of 3180 South Normandie avenue, will be held Tuesday, December 22, at 11 a.m., from the chapel of R. C. Dallenbaugh & Co., 630 Venice Boulevard. Interment, Whittier, Cal.

DAVY. December 13, at San Luis Obispo, Rexford B. Davy.

Funeral services Tuesday, December 22, at 2 p.m., from Pierce Brothers' chapel, 720 West Washington street. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

DAVY. November 15, at San Luis Obispo, Myrtle Davy, sister of Mrs. Fred P. Clark of Minneapolis, Minn.

Funeral services Tuesday, December 22, at 2 p.m., from Pierce Brothers' chapel, 720 West Washington street. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

DRADER. Late of 815 Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills, Maynard Drader, beloved wife of Charles Drader, loving mother of Mrs. R. J. Oswald and Ernest C. Drader.

Services today at 2 p.m. from the Hollywood Cemetery chapel. Interment, Hollywood Mausoleum. Rupps Mortuary in charge.

Bakersfield, Cal., and Petrolia, Ontario, Canada, papers please copy.]

DYK. At Alhambra, December 20, 1925, Frank J. Dyk, aged 78 years, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich., beloved husband of Gertie H. Dyk and father of Mrs. Fred J. Brockmeier of South Pasadena.

Funeral Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the chapel of Turner, Stevens & Hayner, Alhambra. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery.

ELLIS. December 19, Ralcon M., aged 66 years, at 4851 South Van Ness avenue.

Remains at Edwards Brothers, 939 Venice Boulevard.

FULPS. John F. Fulps, aged 48 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Sylvia E. Fulps of 326 North Dover street.

Funeral services today at 2 p.m. from the Little Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn Cemetery. W. A. Brown, funeral director.

GAMBLE. December 18, Katie W. A. Gamble. Funeral from Garrett Brothers' chapel, 1237 South Flower street, today at 11 a.m.

GOODWIN. The funeral services of Mrs. Ada E. Goodwin will be held today at 2 p.m. from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, 1325 South Flower street.

HANKE. At 1092 Hillcrest Drive, Mathilde F. Hanke, loving mother of Mathilde Handy of this city, Adelia Hanke of San Francisco, Emma Reese and Arnedt Hanke of Jackson, Mich.

Funeral Tuesday, December 22, graves at the home at 1 p.m.; services at the Little Church of the Flowers in Forest Lawn Cemetery at 2 p.m. Read Brothers Co., directors.

HARRIS. December 18, Isaac Harris, husband of Jennie Harris and father of Mrs. Odys Pauline Harris and M. G. C. Harris.

Funeral services at Brunes Brothers' chapel, 650 Figueroa, Monday at 10 a.m., B. P. O. Elks in charge.

HUNTER. December 19, 1925, at Pasadena, Orlando M. Hunter, formerly of McKeesport, Pa., husband of Sallie C. and father of Isabella A. and Frank C.

Funeral at 10 a.m. Tuesday, December 22, at the chapel of Turner & Stevens Co., corner Marengo and Holly, Pasadena. Interment, McKeesport, Pa.

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VE TO END TITLE FORAYS

Investigations Result From Land Rush

Officials Plan to Run Down Locators

States Shysters Dupe Homesteaders

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The Times
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HANGING A "PEST" WITH REAL ZEST

Miss Sadie Prod

OSCULATORY MISTLETOE IS PLENTEOUS

No Law Against Picking, in Fact Forester Presses Even Bashful to Do So

Every cloud has a silver lining, according to the old-timers, and some clouds, like some suits of clothes, have two linings.

The cloud in this case developed on the local horizon several weeks ago when the County Forester's office issued a warning that holly picking would be prohibited on public lands, except in such cases where individuals desired only a sprig to decorate their homes for the Yuletide season.

But now we come to the silver linings, two of them.

The first is that there is no law against the picking of mistletoe, and the second is that there are tons and tons of this Christmas shrub in the canyons and mountains about Los Angeles. And then of course, mistletoe has a peculiar advantage over holly, especially where the sheiks and shebas are concerned.

County Forester Turner has announced that the people of Los Angeles county will be doing his office and the public generally a great favor if they will trundle themselves and the kiddies off to the hills in the family flivver and bring home all the mistletoe they can haul without exceeding the road-weight limit.

There are two kinds of mistletoe which are plentiful in Southern California, according to Turner.

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FATE RESTORES LONG-LOST BOY

Son Long Mourned as Dead Going Back to Dad

Youth Carried Away Years Ago by Guardian

Woman Discovers Identity of State Ward

There will be a very Merry Christmas indeed in the home of Domingues Felix, blacksmith and machinist at the Yellow Astor Mining Company at Randsburg.

For Carlos Felix, drawn down into the vortex of circumstance ten years ago and mourned as lost, has come to the surface through revolutions of the cogs and gears of fate, and is restored to his family. Ten years of buffetings from pillar to post, of residence in strange places and with strange guardians, will end in the boarding-house of Mrs. Alice Carrion in Pomona within a day or so when the father appears there to claim his son, who has occupied the position of State ward as an abandoned minor some months.

Returning to Randsburg, father and son will be welcomed by the two grown brothers of Carlos, two step-brothers, two step-sisters and a tiny half-sister, while Step-mother Felix will welcome into her brood the little fellow that for years has been mourned as lost.

GUARDIAN MOVES

Nearly ten years ago Ildifonso Felix was taken ill at her Randsburg home. Leaving their two-half-grown boys and Baby Carlos, Dominguez and his wife came to Los Angeles, where the mother was taken to the General Hospital. After a short illness she died, and in the double grief of father and mother, Dominguez returned to his little family that had been left in care of a friend, Mrs. Micolia Alvarez.

But the father had work to do and his efforts at mothering the trio of youngsters could be nothing but failure, so having close relatives in Arizona who were willing to help him out, he sent the youngsters to them in the care of Mrs. Alvarez.

The latter carried out her commission as far as the older boys were concerned but she took Baby Carlos with her to Chihuahua, Mex., neglecting to mention her plan to Dominguez or the Arizona relatives. And the father in Randsburg continued to send money for the care of his three children to the Arizona relatives, until some two years later he married again and his own family was returned to him.

When the family arrived in Randsburg it was minus the baby and the father immediately started a hunted for Carlos. He traced the Alvarez woman to Chihuahua and other relatives in Mexico went there to find her but she had moved. All trace of the family was lost and Dominguez finally gave up the quest.

WOMAN UNRAVELS CASE

Carlos was old enough to remember Chihuahua and a few days ago at the Pomona home he told his story to Miss Anne Hannon, of the State Department of Public Welfare, whose investigation into the case resulted in the family reunion.

From Chihuahua Mrs. Alvares and Carlos moved to Sonora and

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GETTING THE GLAD HAND FROM SANTA

Prancer Studies Children Who Come to Tell Xmas Wants

At Exposition Park

(The following story, dictated by Prancer, Santa Claus's pet reindeer, gives a close-up of the entire Santa Claus picture.)

BY PRANCER

WHILE out at Exposition Park yesterday afternoon I kept my eyes and ears open and made some observations of the children as a continuous line of them walked up the runway to shake hands with Santa as he sat in his sleigh on the snowland float.

PRANCER

Santa shook hands with children until his arm gave out and he had to call a halt. To stand by and watch the youngsters as they approach Santa Claus, to listen to what they have to say to him and to note their deportment is to study human nature in its raw state.

Contrary to the popular way that grown folk are inclined to view it, there is nothing in this world more real than a little child talking to Santa Claus as he sits in his very own sleigh behind his very own reindeer.

If you could be up on that float with me and Vixen and Dasher and the rest of the reindeer and see and hear what goes on, you would understand. Here comes a little girl of 4 years. She's typical. She looks Santa full in the eyes as she shakes hands with him. She has talked about this meeting and has thought about it for a long time. And she is—oh, so earnest. The crowds around the float have faded away. The rest of the world has faded away. She stands there alone with Santa Claus and his reindeer. It is a child's dream coming true. A picture is being painted that will live in the child's mind probably as long as life lasts.

I wish some one would tell me why it is that some small children will burst into tears upon taking hold of Santa's hand. And others get so excited they just can't talk. I heard of one little girl who came in from Monrovia to see us. She was about 5 years of age. She has a little baby sister, Dot, too young to come up to shake hands with Santa.

The family talked it over and it was agreed tha' the older little girl should go up and shake hands with Santa, and besides telling him what she wanted for herself—and there was a long list of things—she was to tell Santa what Dot wanted. But when the little girl got up on the float and shook hands with Santa and he asked her what she wanted, she raked her mind in vain until she suddenly blurted out: "An eggbeater." There's one for a psychologist to figure out.

A little boy pushed his way up the runway, didn't stop to shake hands or say "How do you do." He wasted no time—just gasped "fire injun," and hurried down again into his mother's arms.

Now, perhaps, you don't think Santa Claus understands all that. Huh, he hasn't been dealing with children for years and years and years, for nothing.

TODAY

Santa and his reindeer will be at Compton at 8:30 a.m., corner of Main and Tamarind; Buena Park, 9:30 a.m., Fullerton, 10:15 a.m., in front of Chamber of Commerce; California Hotel Building, corner of North Spadra and Wilshire avenue; Anaheim, 10:45 a.m., in front of City Hall, corner of Center and Clandina; Orange, 11:30 a.m., park at Plaza. At Santa Ana at 2 p.m. Santa will drive reindeer from Birch Park north on Second to Fourth, west on Fourth to Spurgeon.

TUESDAY

Huntington Park, 9:30 a.m., corner Pacific and Clarendon; Bell, 10 a.m., corner Baker and Otis avenue; Downey, 10:45 a.m., corner Crawford and Second avenue; Norwalk, 11 a.m.

In Whittier, Santa Claus will drive on Philadelphia from Washington to Greenleaf, north on Greenleaf to Hadley, double back on Greenleaf to College, starting at 1 p.m.

Puente, 1:45 p.m., front of First National Bank; El Monte, 2 p.m.

Programs canceled in event of rain.

Grauman Will Direct Wampas Entertainment

The supervisory committee of the 1926 Wampas Frolic and Ball announces that the entertainment portion of the program will be personally directed by Sid Grauman.

Sid Grauman

In obtaining the Shrine Civic Auditorium for the evening of February 4, the Wampas will give the general public its first opportunity to see this new structure.

The theater seating 6800 persons and with a seating half again as large as that of the New York Hippodrome, will be used jointly with the ball-room, which can accommodate 12,000 dancers on the floor and 3000 onlookers in the balcony.

CITY OVERTIME ENDED

The Council has adopted ordinances repealing the overtime provisions in the following departments: Building and Safety, Engineering, City Council office, City Clerk's office, fire and street lighting.

PROJECT REPORT REFERRED

The report of City Engineer Shaw concerning the widening of Moneta avenue, between Manchester avenue and Ninety-third street, was referred to the Council Street Opening and Widening Committee for consideration.

BRITISH BATTLER ARRIVES

Greyhound of England's Navy Anchors Here

H.M.S. Diomede, first of Great Britain's fast scout cruisers built from lessons learned in the World War to visit the Pacific Coast, arrived at Los Angeles Harbor yesterday on her way from England to New Zealand for station. She will be here for four days before proceeding to New Zealand via Honolulu and Fiji.

The "D" class of British light cruisers, of which the Diomede is a unit, is regarded by naval authorities as being the most efficient fighting craft of its type afloat.

She is of 4500 tons displacement and her 40,000-horsepower high-pressure geared turbines drive her at a cruising speed of thirty knots. She has a complement of 400 officers and men and as armament mounts six six-inch guns, three four-inch antiaircraft guns and twelve surface twenty-one-inch torpedo tubes. The Diomede is commanded by Capt. J. S. M. Ritchie, who saw active service with the Grand Fleet in the North Sea.

The Diomede was originally scheduled to arrive at Los Angeles Harbor on the 12th inst., when Capt. Ritchie requested that no plans for the formal reception of her officers and men be made on

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H.M.S. Diomede

FOUR KILLED IN AUTO MISHAPS

Three Men and Chinese Girl Accident Victims

Two Die as Cars Overturn, Others Run Down

Taxi Driver and Autoist Held by Police

C. H. Bowden, 45 years of age, of 1728 West Fourteenth street, Long Beach, and Joseph F. Van Blancorn, S. Rodrigues and Shirley Lee of Los Angeles were killed in traffic accidents yesterday.

Bowden's car was overturned in a collision at Eighth street and Elm avenue, Long Beach, shortly after midnight. Bowden, who was a sign painter, was taken to Seaside Hospital, fatally injured. His body was sent to the J. H. Mottell Undertaking Company.

John H. Voss, Jr., 23, of 905 East Eighth street, Long Beach, was arrested on suspicion of manslaughter, police asserting he abandoned his wrecked car without aiding Bowden.

Rodriguez was mortally hurt when the car of Joe Fracesto, 1504 Day street, with whom he was riding, turned over on Telegraph Road near the Simons brick yard. Rodriguez suffered a basal skull fracture and was taken to the Receiving Hospital where he died. Fracesto was slightly injured.

CHINESE GIRL KILLED

Shirley Lee, a Chinese girl, 7 years of age, of 109 1-2 Commercial street, died in the Receiving Hospital last night after being struck by a taxicab, and the driver of the vehicle, A. H. Bartholomew of 122 East Fifty-seventh street, was locked up on suspicion of manslaughter. The accident took place at the corner of Ferguson alley and Los Angeles street. Detective Lieutenants Jarvis and Craig said their investigating showed the taxi must have been speeding, as it skidded with locked wheels for twenty-six feet after striking the girl. She suffered fractures of the skull, both legs, one arm and several ribs, according to Dr. Saverien, and lived only a few minutes.

MAN STRUCK DOWN

Joseph F. Van Blancorn, 76 years of age, of 8076 Radford street, was fatally injured when he was struck last night by an automobile driven by Alfred Carter, 1415 Library street, at Lankershim Boulevard and Radford street.

Police Surgeon Hartman and Police Officer Berger took Van Blancorn to the Van Nuys Hospital, He died en route.

Carter was held by police for investigation.

PHARMACIST OF PIONEER DAYS PASSES

Dr. Henson Huff Cross, Long Resident of City, Will be Buried Thursday

Dr. Henson Huff Cross, 82 years of age, a resident of Los Angeles for nearly half a century, died yesterday at his home, 661 Lucas avenue.

Dr. Henson Huff Cross

Notwithstanding his great age, Dr. Cross raised the American flag at his home each morning and took it down each evening to the day of his last illness. He had been a captain in the Union Army and was wounded. He was a West Virginian but left the side of the South, forfeiting much property, to join the Union Volunteer Army at Keokuk, Iowa.

After the war he became a physician at Koekuk and was married there. He and Mrs. Cross came here and first lived on the site of the Alexandria Annex, Spring street, and later on Alvarado street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. He operated a drug store for years at Sixteenth street and Grand avenue and later on Alvarado street. About twenty years ago he retired.

Mrs. Cross died about seven years ago. A niece, Mrs. W. Thomas, and her husband lived with Dr. Cross. He has several nieces and nephews here. The Crosses had no children. A brother, Rev. Jacob Cross, lives in Ballston, W. Va. A nephew, Henson Cross of Wilder, Ind., has been here since Dr. Cross became ill, on Thanksgiving Day.

Funeral services will be in charge of Bartlett Logan Post, G. A. R., and will take place at Bramble's Funeral Home, Thursday at 3 p. m. The body will be laid to rest in Hollywood Mausoleum.

MINISTERS TO HOLD MONTHLY LUNCHEON

Minister of the Pre-Millennial Prophetic Association of Los Angeles will meet today noon at the Bible Institute for their regular monthly luncheon, following which there will be a program of addresses, T. C. Horton of the Bible Institute announces. Dr. Robert A. Hadden, Bible teacher, will deliver an address at 1:30 p. m. on "Who Are the Old Testament Sons of God?" and at 3 p. m. Vartan Atchinak will address the meeting in the lower auditorium on "Existent Conditions in the Bible Land." The public is invited.

CONFIRM STREET OPENING

The assessment district map for the opening and widening of Venice Boulevard between Sixth avenue and Highland avenue has been confirmed by the City Council.

DRAWINGS OF CHURCH ACCEPTED

Bids on New Congregational Edifice Will be Asked for at Once

Architectural plans for a $30,000 church, to be built at Fifty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, have been accepted by the 200 members of the Mesa Congregational Church, according to announcement yesterday by Dr. Henry C. Culbertson, the pastor. Bids will be advertised for at once and it is expected that the new temple of worship will be completed early in the summer. Harry L. Pierce is the architect of the new building which will be Spanish-stucco in style, with an auditorium capable of seating more than 600 persons.

The vote to build the new church was taken at a meeting of the congregation last Thursday. The building committee consists of Dr. Culbertson and Howard Stubbins, H. H. Brainerd, C. E. Benway and P. B. Anderson. The new temple will be erected on a lot adjoining the present site and estimated to be worth in excess of $35,000. The old church building will be used as a parish house.

Dr. Culbertson, formerly pastor of Plymouth Congregational Church, has been pastor of Mesa Church for about six months and during his pastorate the membership has increased from 100 to more than 200. The Sunday-school membership is nearly 400 and one of the main reasons for building the new church is to provide adequate quarters for the church schools.

The Lancer

by Harry Carr

A NATIONAL magazine sings a song of press agents.

In this magazine, the erstwhile photographer of the Prince of Wales tells of the wily device and scheme of the p.a. of Miss Mildred Harris, the movie actress.

STALKING A PRINCE

It seems that the press agent yearned to have Miss Harris featured as a little playmate of the Prince of Wales, during his visit to California.

So he managed to induce the Mayor of San Diego to let Miss Harris masquerade as his niece and get photographed with the Prince; and thereafter—as the p.a. hoped—to dance with her.

But a wary secret-service man broke the photographic plates; and Lord Mountbatten, a tactful and diplomatic officer of the Prince's suite, saw to it that she did not dance with the Prince.

This by the simple device of dancing with her himself—every dance.

THE KING OF BEASTS

All of which brings to mind other wily schemes of press agents.

One of the funniest stunts was spoiled by a scared British reporter.

When the Barnum & Bailey circus went to England, its famous publicity man, Tody Hamilton, planned a stunt.

He attached an electric wire to every animal in every cage. When King Edward entered the tent, he intended to turn on the "juice" and bring a wild yell from every animal—kings of beasts welcoming the king of men.

But a horrified British assistant warned the King—who did not come.

"DREAM STREET"

Harry Richenbacher was employed to advertise D. W. Griffith's "Dream Street."

He persuaded a Chicago Alderman to introduce a resolution changing the name of the famous Michigan Boulevard to Dream street. All the newspapers and the improvement clubs let out a mad yell of protest. When they had raged and roared enough, Mr. Richenbacher put up the theater posters; and let them see how they had been stung.

A WILY TRICK

One of the oddest publicity tricks I ever heard of was the work of Billy Nolan, manager of the prize-fight champion, Battling Nelson.

He took the Battler to London, but failed to thrill England. All he got was one line in one newspaper.

"INSOLENT YANKEES"

At that time Gunner Moir was champion heavyweight of England.

Nolan issued a challenge to the Gunner to fight Battling Nelson.

As the Gunner weighed about a ton, and Battling Nelson was a little shaver of 133 pounds, the British sporting reporters were enraged at the insult.

Every newspaper in England wasted columns panning the "impudent and insolent Yankees." And the Battler's fortune was made.

THE "FREAKS" REBEL

Tody Hamilton put over another funny one.

He couldn't get the British papers to talk about his circus.

So he got the human skeleton and the bearded lady to write a furious letter to the London Times protesting against the circus proprietor calling—and advertising — them as "freaks." This outrage was enough to move the British sense of justice.

FELL FOR IT

The circus proprietor, apparently withering under fire, humbly admitted the offense and asked the British papers to supply a better name—instead of "freaks."

Thereafter the papers were filled, day after day, with excited suggestions for a name that would spare the tender feelings of the side-show performers.

Even the Archbishop of Canterbury fell for Tody's stunt. He suggested "eccentrics."

They are still called "freaks."

Will Carry Joy to Unfortunates

Principals in Program

Eve Shaw as Santa Claus and Irwin Tittle as a brown bear.

ETHER CARRIES SOUTHERN AIRS

Piggly Wiggly Stores Give Surprise Program

KHJ Matinee Sponsored by Western Auto Company

Tower Silent Today After Noon Renditions

BY PAUL SHEEDY

The thousands of former residents of the Old South last night were given a delightful surprise when a stellar group of KHJ's prominent artists appeared before the microphone in a splendid program of mellow Southern airs, the special concert being given by the city's Piggly Wiggly stores in honor of the organization's headquarters at Memphis, Tenn., where the nation-wide chain of stores was begun years ago.

From the very commencement of the musical at 8 p.m. until the last selection was played at 10 p.m., the air was filled with the half forgotten melodies from below the Mason and Dixon Line, with the darky touch given to the program by Uncle Remus, known to thousands for his humorous monologues. The instrumental portion of the program was played by the Piggly Wiggly Girls, long favorites at the tower studio, with Gladys Blackwell Pickering, soprano, and Edward Novis, baritone giving delightful solos during the two hours.

REQUESTS POUR IN

Many unique features were woven into the concert, including a "Trip Down the Mississippi," and old-fashioned cakewalks by the Blue Boys. The program resurrected a host of melodies that had not been heard in years. The pleasure of Radioland was spontaneously expressed through the station telephones, which were kept ringing continuously with requests for additional old numbers. Kathryne Thompson, the outstanding artist in the city's musical colony for her brilliant saxophone solos, was another delightful feature of the evening.

Patrons of the studio in mid-afternoon had another delightful Sunday matinee by the Western Auto Supply Company, sponsors of so many brilliant recitals over the air. From 4 until 5 p.m., selections from groups of the world's most renowned composers were rendered, featured by the playing of Vera Barstow, noted violinist, who again paid tribute to her accompanist, Marcia Obuchon, well-known pianist. Frank Geiger gave additional bass solos, complying with requests at previous concerts lauding his voice.

The ensemble portion of the afternoon was played by the youthful Harmony Trio from the Community Playhouse at Pasadena, who, despite their youth, have been repeatedly commended by musical critics in their appearances in concert and over the air.

MICROPHONE SILENT

Today, the tower station will again observe "Silent Monday" with the microphone closed following the noon program, and only opened again for a few minutes at 8 p.m., for the daily frost warnings, given as service to the thousands of fruit growers in Southern California. The regular broadcasts will be resumed tomorrow, with the afternoon featured by the regular game in the series of expert auction bridge games.

OFFERS TUNNEL EASEMENT

The Board of Education has offered to sell the city an easement for the Ninth street school pedestrian tunnel for $20. It was referred to the Finance Committee and Mayor.

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TODAY'S PROGRAM

7 to 7:15 a.m.: Setting-up exercises, conducted by Prof. Barclay L. Severns.

12 to 12:30 noon.: Leighton's Arcade Cafeteria Orchestra, directed by Jack Cronshaw.

12:30 to 1:30 p.m.: Program presenting the Piggly Wiggly Girls, courtesy of the Piggly Wiggly Stores; Way Watts, and his ukulele.

Silent rest of the day.

Local Schedule

THE TIMES	7:30 to 7:45 a.m.
Express	7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Kierulff & Ravenscroft	12:00 noon to 8:00 p.m.
THE TIMES	12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m.
K. M. Turner Radio Corp.	1:30 p.m.
Express	4:30 to 6:00 p.m.
K. M. Turner Radio Corp.	6:00 to 11:00 p.m.
Anthony	7:00 to 10:00 p.m.
Express	7:00 to 10:00 p.m.
Warner Brothers	7:00 to 12:00 p.m.
Kierulff & Ravenscroft	7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Bible Institute	8:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Examiner	10:00 to 11:00 p.m.

COURT TO SET THRILL ROBBERY TRIAL TODAY

A date for the trial of Charles Dolpsch, university student, who, the police say, told them he turned bandit for the "thrill," is to be set by Judge Keetch today after Dolpsch pleads not guiltq Two asserted confederates, Al Spencer and Jack Perryman also will appear to enter pleas. The three youths were arrested by police after the robbery of several small stores. Dolpsch, the police say, confessed connection with the robberies.

COUNCIL TO VISIT VENICE

The City Council has accepted the invitation of the Federation of Venice Civic Associations to attend a meeting at the Venice High School tomorrow.

Santa Surprises Bank Employees During Banquet

Employees of the Bank of America today are rejoicing over a premature visit of that white-whiskered and world-renowned individual Santa Claus.

Packing a bag of bank deposit books and insurance policies, the King of the Northland was an unexpected guest at the annal dinner of the bank employees Saturday night at the Winsor Tea Room, where he distributed his presents, gifts from bank officials, as a bonus to those who have been in the employ of the institution the past year.

Following the banquet, attended by 200 guests, and a program of entertainment and music, each employee with the bank a year or more was given a deposit book crediting to his account a percentage of his annual income. The amounts varied, percentages being based on the individual's time of service with the bank. The various deposits have been placed in a trust fund, available in five years, and will draw interest. Yearly bonuses will be added during the five-year period. In addition, each employee was given a 20-year endowment insurance policy, ranging from $500 for first-year employees to $1000 policies.

Speeches were made by Orra E. Monnette, president; W. J. Braunschweiger, vice-president; Harrol R. Smith, cashier; A. Fenton, comptroller, and Robert Stange, vice-president of the social club of the institution. Earl M. Marston, club president, presided.

NEW PARK ASSURED

A city park on National Boulevard near the entrance to Palms is assured, the City Council having instructed the City Attorney and City Engineer to proceed with the necessary steps to acquire the land.

ALIEN BUREAU'S ACTS DEFENDED

Chief Carr Explains Animus of Imperial Growers

Immigrant Law Enforcement Checks Labor Flood

North's Raising Cotton Ends Pickers' Migration

Charges that Imperial Valley factions who have been seeking his scalp at Washington are prompted therein by their inability to import Mexican labor since he stopped immigration leaks along the valley border, were made yesterday by Walter E. Carr, Immigration Bureau chief in Los Angeles for the southern district of California.

At the same time Carr defended Inspector Fred D. Jack, who, he said, also has been under the fire of valley growers and employers of labor. As one reason for a probable labor shortage, he said, grape-pickers formerly moved from San Joaquin Valley at the close of the grape season to Imperial Valley for the cotton crop, but that since the introduction of cotton into the northern district they remain at home. Mexicans now are paid higher wages than formerly south of the line and stay in their own country.

"We are not in a position to say that there is, or was, a shortage of labor in the Imperial Valley on the northern side," Chief Carr stated. "Figures from governmental sources indicate that during the last season 24,000 acres of winter lettuce were harvested, and that is 4000 more than last year. The latest report I have received is that two-thirds of the cotton has been ginned.

"The claim evidently is made, however, in an effort to discredit Inspector Jack, in charge at Calexico, who was sent there to correct conditions made possible through the absolute neglect of the former inspector in charge to make any pretense of enforcing the law.

"If there is a foreign labor shortage as asserted, and if it is due to any governmental agency, it can be assigned to the work of the immigration patrol office at El Centro, which was inaugurated eleven months before Inspector Jack was placed in charge at Calexico."

Statistics on the activity of his department, disclosed by Carr, were that a total of 3,679,325 persons were passed out of, and into the United States under observation of only twenty-eight immigration inspectors since July 1, last, up to the 1st inst. Of these millions, 1351 actual aliens were removed from the country later, and 333 were held for the board of examinations.

This large number of persons entered and left the country at six points, Tia Juana, Calexico, San Diego, Los Angeles Harbor, Santa Barbara and Andrade on the Colorado River.

SHRINERS BUSY WITH YULE DRIVE

Thousands of Letters Pour in Seeking Aid From Santa Claus

The Shrine Christmas relief organization has been increased to its full strength and all is in readiness for the final drive to obtain food, clothing and groceries that the poor and needy may have a cheerful Christmas, Motley H. Flint, chairman of the Shrine Relief Committee, announced.

Thus far there have been more than 2000 letters addressed to Santa Claus at the Shrine headquarters.

The Shrine relief workers are working under the supervision of Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison. Those looking up the writers are Mrs. Fred Vanaickle, Mrs. Elizabeth White, Mrs. Anna Frederick, Mrs. A. W. Harrison, Mrs. C. McAdams, Martha Cowan, Mrs. Mary Teal, Mrs. Clara Michaelstetter, Mrs. Mable Pearce, Mrs. L. F. Reed, Mrs. Gladys Imig.

Fred T. Furdy is acting as general assistant manager to Mrs. Flint.

Nineteen years ago Mr. Flint, who was then the Postmaster of Los Angeles, arranged with the postal authorities to forward all letters addressed to Santa Claus, which had heretofore been sent to the Dead Letter Office, to some fraternal organization.

Chairman Flint emphasizes the imperative need for additional second-hand clothing, rugs, mattresses, toys, groceries and particularly overcoats. Mr. Flint also wishes it distinctly understood that donations are not coming from Shriners and Masons only, but are being received from every conceivable source. Those who want to make donations kindly call up the headquarters, TUcker 3963, and an automobile will be dispatched to gather them up.

A Remarkable Picture

"It's a Gainsborough, painted by Van Dyck, and is considered one of the handsomest Gainsboroughs in any American collection."—[Ohio Exchange.

THIS LOST FOWL BERTILLONED

Victim of Turkey Thief Can Identify Property By Crooked Foot

H. J. Blacy of 12825 Sherman avenue, Sherman, addressed the following communication to the Chief of Police of Los Angeles. It was received yesterday.

"Sometime early Saturday morning some person or persons unknown entered my chicken-house through the rear window and left with nine turkeys.

"P.S. One turkey has a broken foot which has healed up crooked. I can identify this bird."

ROMEO SUES FOR RING'S RETURN

Court Asked to Decide Who Owns Diamond After Jilting

Is a young lady entitled to keep an engagement ring after she and her sheik have come to a parting of the ways?

This is the question placed before the Superior Court for answer by Harold J. Wehan in a suit for $700 he has filed against May Powe.

Last May, Wehan said, he and Miss Powe became engaged and shortly thereafter he gave her a diamond valued at $700 as a token of their troth. Now, he said, the engagement stands broken, but she still has the ring.

Wehan declared he at no time conveyed her title to the ring so he asked the court to make her pay him the money he said it is worth.

His complaint was filed by Attorney Clarence S. T. Folsom.

GIVES RIGHT TO PICK MISTLETOE

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skya variety (readers are challenged to pronounce this aloud) which is the aristocrat of the mistletoe family, as it refuses to make its abode anywhere except on most exclusive pine trees.

In the second instance we have the Phoradendron, or common, garden variety, which is not so particular as its cousin and is perfectly willing to make its home on any oak, juniper, sycamore or other such tree that might be handy.

All species of mistletoe are considered pests from the standpoint of the forester and agriculturist, as they are parasitic in their nature and sap the strength of the trees on which they grow.

The present Christmas custom of exchanging osculatory caresses beneath the mistletoe has been handed down to us by the Druids, who regarded the shrub with veneration, especially when found growing upon an oak tree. With the spread of Christianity, the Druid regard for mistletoe found its way gradually into an established place in Yuletide celebrations.

Miss Sadie Prod of the County Forester's office is demonstrating in the accompanying picture the approved fashion of employing mistletoe at this time of the year.

"TIMES" JUNIORS TO GIVE SHOW

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Bowery with her funny version of "When Frances Dances With Me." The song will be followed by a clog dance. King Jazz will be represented by Ethel Osep, acrobatic dancer.

IMPOSING ENSEMBLE

An imposing ensemble of mixed voices will close the program with old-time melodies. This catchy little fantasy, written and directed by Aunt Dolly, will be offered in every orphanage and children's hospital in Los Angeles tomorrow.

In addition to this entertainment many speeches will be made by the president of the club, Master James Osborne, who will help distribute thousands of gifts turned in by loyal club members.

This same performance will be given again on Christmas morning at the Breakfast Club for the benefit of hundreds of poor East Side children who will not only view the fantasy, but also will receive gifts, and be treated to a turkey breakfast as well.

Jackie Coogan, child king of the silver screen, will be there during the entire entertainment, taking real reelers of the happy club party. The films will be presented to The Times Junior Club as a Christmas gift, but in addition to all this Jackie has extended an invitation to every member of The Times Junior Club to be present at a big free theater party given next Saturday morning. Not only will his brand new picture be shown, but also Jackie himself will be there to greet the club members. Times Junior Club buttons will serve as admission passes.

POOR CHILDREN TO BE GUESTS OF MISSION

CHRISTMAS TREE PARTY AND ENTERTAINMENT FOR WEDNESDAY

Seven hundred poor children will enjoy a Christmas tree entertainment at Music Art Hall, 333 South Broadway, at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. It will be given by the Christian Mission and Industrial Association with headquarters at 113-114 Weller street, under the management of E. W. Campbell.

The children will receive toys, bags of candy and orders on a department store for shoes and stockings.

Christmas dinner bags, containing food for ten persons, will be given to more than 400 families by the association from 1 to 4 p.m. Thursday.

Six hundred unemployed men will receive a free turkey dinner at the club room and restaurant, 531-533 East Fifth street, on Christmas Day from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

SUICIDE IDENTIFIED

The body of a man who shot and killed himself early Friday morning in front of the home of E. S. Gilmore, 2020 Miramar street, yesterday was identified as that of John A. Carter, who resided at 319 Westlake avenue. The body was removed to the Peck & Chase undertaking parlors.

See's Famous Home Made CANDIES Try a Box

MOVE TO END TITLE FORAYS

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bara, Sherman, Piedmont, Oakland and Los Angeles. Sixteen of them were women and the remainder men.

A list of their names has been supplied the postal inspectors who will check among the individuals to determine whether professional locators were responsible for the wild foray, and if so whether they used the mails to further the scheme. Any evidence of fraud found will result, Federal officials declare, in the requesting of a Federal grand jury indictment.

The District Attorney's office also is checking along fraud lines but their search is for persons obtaining money fraudulently, by misrepresentation or otherwise.

FATE RESTORES LONG-LOST BOY

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there Mrs Alvarez died, after giving the boy to Mrs. Gerronia Ramos. The latter brought the boy to Los Angeles eventually, and for a time they lived at 634 Gladys avenue. Then Mrs. Ramon turned the boy to the Juvenile Court and he was sent to St. Francis School at Watsonville.

While there a plea for county aid was made to Los Angeles county for the boy, but this was denied and State aid was finally obtained for him. However, State authorities demanded a more thorough investigation of the case and Miss Hannan was assigned to the investigation, while the boy, still under the name of Carlos Ramos, was sent to Pomona.

Talking to the boy, Miss Hannon learned his true name to be Felix and later she found the youngster's birth certificate on file in Sacramento. Then visiting in the vicinity of Randsburg, she went there to trace the father if possible, with the result that little Carlos is due to rejoin his family within a few days.

MISSING YOUTH HUNTED

A search was organized yesterday for Wendell Hillis, 18 years of age, of 6227 Holmes avenue, reported missing since Friday. The youth left home with his bicycle to mail some Christmas packages at noon that day and did not return. Whether he has met with foul play or has decided to return to his former home in Portland is not known, but he took no extra clothing and had only a small amount of money. He is 5 feet 9 inches tall and has dark hair and eyes. When last seen he wore a dark knickerbocker suit, boots, and a light cap. He had a signet ring bearing the initials WDH.

American motorcycles are being favored in Germany because they are more adaptable to the bad highways of that country than any other.

ENGLAND'S NEW CRUISER COMES

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account of the period of mourning for the late Dowager Queen Alexandra. As this period of mourning ended yesterday, plans are being made for the entertainment of the Diomede's crew by several local British societies, including receptions for her officers and tours of Southern California for the men. The ship's football team is also anxious to secure games with Los Angeles soccer aggregations during the visit.

The Diomede, with her sister ship, the Dunedin, will form the New Zealand division of the Australian-West Indian squadron. The Dunedin is already on station.

IMPROVEMENT ORDERED

The report of the City Engineer of Hollywood Boulevard between Ogden Drive and Laurel Canyon Road has been approved by the Council with directions to proceed with the work.

Requiem Mass Tomorrow for Father T

Solemn requiem mass said tomorrow at 10 a.m. at St. Agnes Church for Father Timothy H. Tracy, rector of St. Mary's Church at Sioux City, Iowa, who died Saturday night after illness at the home of his brother, Edward Cotter, at 1630 Bronson avenue.

Father Tracy was 70 years of age and had been a priest in the United States for 40 years, coming to this country from Ireland. Until a short time ago he held his pastorate in Sioux City, then retiring and moved to Los Angeles.

He leaves another brother, Henry Orrego, and a sister, Benjamin O'Halloran, of this city.

The body is at the undertaking parlors of Robert Shea. Burial will be made in Calvary Cemetery.

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Collegienne Shops, Bullock's Fifth Floor

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Requiem Mass Tomorrow for Father Treacy

Solemn requiem mass will be said tomorrow at 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help church for Rev. Father Timothy H. Treacy, former pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church at Sioux City, Iowa, who died Saturday night after a short illness at the home of his sister, Mrs. Edward Cotino at 1390 West Bronson avenue.

Father Treacy was 63 years of age and had been a resident of the United States for forty-two years, coming to this country from Ireland. Until a short time ago he held his pastorship in Sioux City, then retiring and coming to Los Angeles.

He leaves another sister, Mrs. Henry Orrence, and a brother, Benjamin O'Halloran, both of this city.

The body is at the undertaking parlors of Robert Sharpe & Son. Burial will be made in Calvary Cemetery.

...D BANDITS ...E ALCOHOL

...Liquor Warehouse ...ked in Ten Days

...Bound and Four ...ndicts Taken

...Claims Ownership of ...uor, Police Say

...the second big ware... ...ery within the past ten ...ad of armed bandits early ...morning carted away ...alcohol valued at $16,... ...the warehouse of Elmer ...& Co., 1334 East Fifteenth ...according to the police yes... ...The bandits gained en... ...the storeroom where the ...were kept after binding and ...the nightwatchman, F. A. ...61 Crocker street.

...robbery occurred about 4 ...morning when two men en... ...small room where the ...was resting between his ...hands, menaced him with ...and took his keys, after ...and gagging him, he told ...police officers.

...followed by the police at ...four or ten men participated ...looting of the warehouse. ...which required four trucks ...the alcohol away.

...police said the alcohol can ...easily rectified for internal ...of experienced bootleggers.

...ERS PREDICTED

...Captain Herman Cline ...Benton-street police divi... ...leading the investigation, ...several arrests today in con... ...with the robbery. Two ...were named by Elmer E. ...owner of the warehouse. ...been questioned by Cline ...Lieutenants Robin... ...Coggan. He was not ar... ...the second suspect has ...booked.

...key to the story told by ...who was sitting in a small ...waited for him near the ...to the warehouse when ...had men opened the door ...and revolvers on him.

"...'em up and keep quiet or ...get 'em," one of the ban... ...demanded.

...CHMAN BOUND

...complied and while one ...bandits kept a revol... ...aimed at him the other ...bound his hands and ...chest. They left him sit... ...chair.

...night watchman estimated ...there were at the warehouse ...more than forty minutes and ...he thought he heard four ...autos drive away. The bandits ...had been to cover up the ...left by the truck tires.

...alcohol, said to be a pat... ...alcohol rub for external use ...was stored in a small room ...a few feet from the gate of ...entrance. The lock on the ...door to the storeroom had been ...broken. It was necessary for the ...bandits to move six or seven large ...packing cases in front of the ...door before they could back ...their truck up to the door.

...number of fingerprints were ...found on the fenders of these ...trucks and the police believe these ...may lead to the identity of the ...bandits.

...RNED OF RAID

...According to Frost, the alcohol ...filled four carloads from New ...Orleans. The raid netted the ban... ...about 9000 cases or 50,386 pints. ...The alcohol was contained in pint ...and quart tins.

...Two weeks ago yesterday, Frost ...said, police, he was warned hi... ...was intended to raid his ware... ...house. At that time the alcohol ...was stored at another warehouse ...rented by him at 1939 East Six... ...Street, he said.

...About 2 a.m. he received a mys... ...telephone call, he said, in... ...forming him his warehouse was ...being raided. He hurried to the ...scene and in the vicinity of ...the warehouse saw a large automobile ...containing four men speeded past ...him.

...He remained at the warehouse ...for a time and kept vigil with the ...watchman, but the raid was ...apparently off.

...Consequence of this "tip" and ...the thwarting of the raiding of the ...Elmer warehouse Frost said ...he had to move the alcohol to ...another warehouse.

...The suspect named by Frost had ...been seen loafing around the ware... ...a great deal of late and at... ...tempted to persuade him to sell ...some of the alcohol. Frost ...declared, according to Frost, he was ...approached by Federal authorities ...who had issued a permit to store ...the liquor. He said he notified ...Federal enforcement officials "to be ...on the lookout."

...The two bandits who held up ...the guard who were the only ones ...whose appearance were described by him as ...follows:

...A stocky man about 30 ...years of age, five feet eight ...inches, weighing 200 pounds, ...dark complexion, red hair ...and eyes. This man, Fuller ...declared to be the ring... ...leader and knew where the alco... ...was stored.

...About 30, of slim build, ...about 150 pounds, five feet ...seven, light hair, blue eyes, fair ...complexion with a scar on his ...face.

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...T OF NOTABLE BOOK

...[SPECIAL DISPATCH]

...AUSTIN, (Tex.) Dec. 20. ...Action of the recent meet... ...of the Board of Regents of the ...University of Texas, Judge S. C. ...Brooks of Fort Worth, Tex., a ...member of the board, presented to ...the library a copy of the first ...edition of a notable book. It is ...entitled "The Life of William, Late ...Marquess of Winchester, K. G." ...written by John Holl... ...Esquire, Rouge Dragon, F. R. S., ...Lancaster Herald at Law." The book ...was published in 1197.

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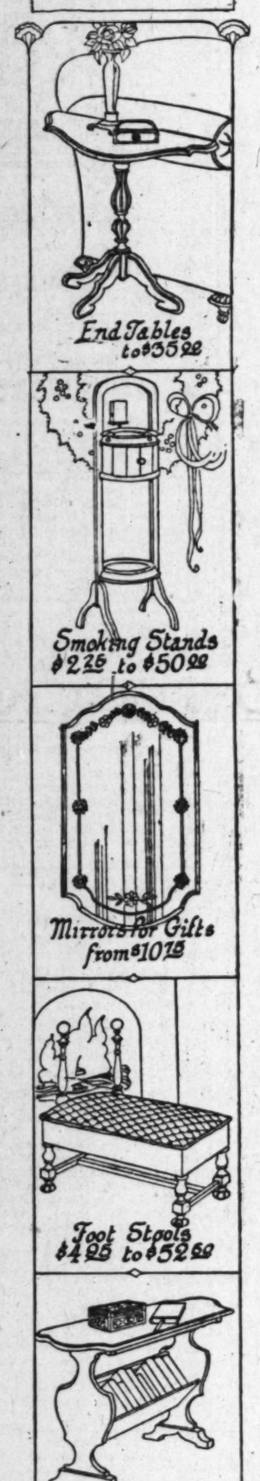
Gift — Furniture



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Book-troughs to $20.00

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Reed Furniture, Bullock's Sixth Floor

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Hemstitched linen bridge sets, $3.75.
2½ yd. Irish linen pattern cloths, $7.85.
20 inch Irish linen napkins, $5.00 dozen.
14 inch hemstitched linen tea napkins, $4.50 dozen.
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Linen damask bridge sets, $3.75 set.
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Linen Room, Bullock's Second Floor
Telephone BRoadway 6900, ask for "Order Board"

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Hoover Electric Sweepers

—a gift which completely meets "her" needs. As you try to think what your gift to "her" will be this Christmas, consider her needs.

Think of her striving to keep your home clean with an old broom! It won't sweep out the dirt. It makes dust clouds, back aches and tired arms.

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On Bullock's Term Accounts—Second or Sixth Floor

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Satin Padded Robes... Gifts at $15 each

Smart, personal gifts at a price below that which their fabric and workmanship would suggest.

Two styles (one sketched) have just arrived for these last hurried days of gift shopping.

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Leisure Robes, Bullock's Fourth Floor

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Lamps, Bullock's Sixth Floor

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Women's Knitwear Section, Bullock's Fourth Floor

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Handkerchiefs, Bullock's Street Floor

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Women's Handkerchief Section, Bullock's Street Floor

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Gloves, Bullock's Street Floor

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Bullock's Second Floor

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Floor Samples Also Reduced

A group slightly marred from handling, to be cleared away Tuesday. Including Autos, Hobby Horses, Dolls' Houses, Dolls, Bath Rooms and many other interesting toys.

Toys, Bullock's Fifth Floor

Bisque Dolls Reduced, 85c

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REFRESHMENT NOTE

The reception committee may put on some dog, but it is the committee on refreshments that really counts.

MUCH CURRENT

Current intelligence is that a $15,000,000 power plant is being created at Sidney, Australia. More power to it.

THE MISTLETOE

The government declares war on the mistletoe, but does not object to kissing. The idea is that mistletoe harms the trees upon which it climbs. Save the trees and kiss the girls.

BOUGHT IN FRANCE

Three hundred freight cars loaded with Christmas packages arrived in Havre on a single day—all the contents to be transferred to a single great liner about to sail for New York. They were the bargains picked up by tourists or gifts sent by Frenchmen to friends or relatives in this country.

COLLEGE DAYS

Nearly 80 per cent of the students in Kansas University are working their way through the institution. They do everything that can be imagined from driving street cars to sweeping out dairy barns. When a youth wants a college education badly enough to work all hours for it he is laying up for himself the best of earth's treasures.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Young Bob La Follette is said to be anxious to do something under his own power, yet it must be conceded that he would never have been considered for his present job or had any standing in the world of politics had his name been other than La Follette. That will always be his greatest asset, whether he tries to live it down or up.

THE LANDMARKS

Just thirty years ago this week in the Chicago Herald contest for horseless carriages the winner made a record of five miles an hour over country roads and through mud and slush. The next morning the public grudgingly admitted that there might really be something in this idea of running vehicles under their own power on the highways. We'll tell the cock-eyed world that they were right.

THE BIG BIRDS

Massive new airships that fly regularly from London to Paris and other points of continental Europe are equipped with the comforts of home and the luxury of a club. One type of craft which carries more than fifty passengers has a regular restaurant service. There is also a bathroom, but the sky terriers are warned against pulling out the plug while over London. They have showers enough of their own.

THE OBSERVERS

Sixty or more students of natural history in an eastern school were taken out to pasture and requested to guess the weight of a cow that placidly chewed her cud before them. The animal weighed 1126 pounds, but the estimates of the amateurs were wild and woolly. The lowest was ninety-four pounds and the highest was three and a half tons. No one guessed within fifty pounds.

JOYS OF THE JAIL

Prison life has its good points. In a large section of West Africa it is considered a great honor to be locked up in jail and a prisoner feels grievously insulted if he is freed before his time expires. The fact that the inmates are fed and cared for has a great deal to do with this situation. In that district if a man is fed and has a place to sleep he thinks he is in heaven. We have made the prisons of this country right comfortable and, were it not for the stigma and the forced restraint, many a prisoner would feel that he was better off than he ever had been while making his own way through the world.

GETTING THE GUNMAN

Here is another way of getting at the gunman: The New York State Board of Pardons will no longer admit to parole any prisoner who used or carried a gun in the commission of the crime for which he was imprisoned. Any prisoner who uses or bears a deadly weapon will have to stay in prison for the full term for which he was committed. This will have quite a bearing upon certain professional criminals who have accustomed themselves to taking their medicine in the courts when arrested and then getting paroled on good behavior or through political influence. Hereafter a man who bears a pistol in the perpetration of any crime must remain in prison for the full term prescribed in his conviction. If this idea should spread into other States and be adopted by other boards it would influence some of the professional criminals to leave their automatics at home when going burgling.

COLORADO PROGRESS

Advocates of an early and equitable settlement of the Colorado River question are entitled to interpret the events of the past week as constituting real, if slight, progress toward the end sought.

Notwithstanding the rejection by Arizona of the proposals of California and Nevada and her substitution therefor of another characteristic set of impossible and impracticable Hunt terms, there are visible for the first time signs of crumbling in the walls of the irreconcilables.

The politicians who for so many years have kept the Colorado question at a deadlock have made their first step in retreat.

The Swing-Johnson bill, with its All-American Canal rider, long the principal stumbling block in the path of agreement, has been pushed from the center of the stage and the Colorado compact has taken its place as the object of serious consideration.

The California conferees who hamstrung the six-State pact with the Finney government high-dam resolution are murmuring a willingness to forget that issue in the interests of harmony.

A conciliatory attitude has replaced one of defiant belligerence.

The reasons for all this are not far to seek.

Successful politicians maintain their positions only by public sufferance and their own ability to perceive just how far they can go in the pursuit of their own interests. Only those survive who know when to stop.

The politicians who have controlled the Colorado negotiations have not been blind to the storm signals flying in Washington. The warnings of President Coolidge, of Secretary Hoover and of Senator McNary, chairman of the Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, that the warring interests must compose their differences or keep out of Congress, did not go unheeded.

The hearings in Washington have definitely fixed upon Johnson and Swing the responsibility for the failures to date of the years of river negotiations. The upper States have been outspoken in their denunciation of the tactics of the California political clique. The public has not failed to grasp the significance of their revelations. And none knows better than these politicians the signs of trouble ahead—for themselves. They are looking for the easiest way out. The sincerity of their past protestations is to be read in the fact that they are ready, apparently, to throw their program overboard if necessary to save themselves.

For six hours a few days since, the California delegates, most of them Swing-Johnson men, conferred at the Biltmore with the Nevada delegation—and the Swing-Johnson bill, the All-American Canal and the Finney resolution were not mentioned once.

The Swing-Johnson group in Washington has thrown out feelers to the Senate committee looking toward detaching the canal rider from their bill. They are discussing a special session of the California Legislature to undo the Finney fiasco.

The suggestion of Secretary Hoover that a river commission be created for the reconciliation of the legitimate differences of the States at interest received respectful consideration from those who have never before admitted the possibility of successful arbitration.

The Hoover compact itself, long flouted by those who saw in the Colorado question only an opportunity to make political capital for themselves, is now the object of their politest solicitude.

Only Gov. Hunt of Arizona shows no signs of coming off his high horse. The answer of his committee to the California-Arizona proposals are sufficient indication that nothing may be expected from Arizona in the way of co-operation so long as Hunt retains control of the negotiations.

Fortunately, Gov. Hunt is not Arizona nor any considerable part of it. He does not represent the sentiment of his State on the Colorado problem any more than Senator Johnson represents that of California. Hitherto Hunt's obstinacy has been successful because the rest of the States—thanks to California's Finney resolution—were unable to get together among themselves.

As has been brought out in Washington, the ideal answer to the Colorado problem lies in a seven-State pact without reservations. For that to come to pass, Arizona must be included. There is no desire to leave her out or to deny her a drop of water or a watt of power that is her right.

Undesirable as it would be to do so, Colorado River development can be undertaken on the basis of a six-State pact.

But it should be only as a last resort.

BRUSH COLLEGE

A thousand young people of superior mental and physical fitness have been selected by the psychology department of Stanford University to be trained as geniuses, says an editorial in a recent issue.

Would that it were possible! What comfort it would be to parents to know their offspring were to be made great without the customary heartbreak! If there be any way that students can be developed into supermen without the grind and suffering and fronting despair the world will rejoice.

But the history of genius is all against it. Robert Louis Stevenson, dragging his sickly body to the South Sea Islands to live at all, could hardly qualify, both mentally and physically. George Matheson and Fanny Crosby would hardly be selected as candidates. Blind eyes are not regarded as peculiarly helpful.

Lord Byron, with his club foot, might be eligible for the poet's corner; but he would not be marked by the football coach for distinguished possibilities. "The lame take the prey" would be a popular saying in Stanford.

William Shakespeare and Robert Burns might make delightful members of some roistering frat, but they would hardly be chosen by a psychology professor in a contest of superstudents.

If "poets are born and not made," what shall be done about it? Will the adage have to be revised? Is it all wrong? Can we dump so much beef into the hopper and grind out an epic?

Edison is stone deaf. This might disqualify him for matriculation among the geniuses. Marconi did the work of a lifetime before ordinary boys think of college. Who would have suspected him of genius?

Andrew Carnegie hardly stood five feet high. Alexander Hamilton weighed but 120 pounds dressed. Would they have been overlooked by the genius-picker of Stanford?

King Saul, with his head and shoulders above the multitude, would likely receive considerable attention from the coach; but little red-headed David, who rattled around in Saul's armor, would be given short shrift.

Julius Caesar grew spindling in a heathen temple at 39 and had fits. Napoleon was undersized and also an epileptic. Lord Nelson had one blind eye. John Wesley weighed but 119 pounds in the shade.

Abraham Lincoln, James Whitcomb Riley and Mark Twain would never reach the university at all. Grant would stand twenty-first in his class as usual—not high standing for a superb genius.

All too often precocious students burn themselves up in college and hardly have strength left to carry the Phi Beta Kappa key around with them in the world.

This is no diatribe against culture. The youth without a college education in this hectic competitive age may not stand much of a chance; but that the great can be selected in advance and especially trained as kings is a piece of daring of the highest order.

"Necessity is (still) the mother of invention." Only as men are crowded do they rise. Irritating sands are still the seeds of pearls. The ancient and accepted way of rubbing the rose to get its perfume has never been superseded. A high polish is yet obtained by rubs. Too many masterpieces have been written in prison to throw the method to the winds.

Brush College still may be depended on to choose our poets and orators and inventors and best business men.

A PLEA FOR CURVES

It is to be hoped that in its laudable zeal to afford safety to motorists by straightening out dangerous curves in our mountain and foothill roadways the State Highway Commission will not go to extremes. The argument of the Outdoor League that curves are necessary in the preservation of the natural beauty of the roads is valid. The members of the league, which is composed of art and nature lovers, are right in protesting against the straightening of such mountain highways as that between Placerville and Lake Tahoe. Beauty should not be sacrificed to utility nor to speed in getting from place to place through forests and canyons. No more of the ugly gashing into hillsides than is necessary should be permitted.

When Hazlitt said he must have a winding road in which to travel, Stevenson, with rare appreciation of the British critic's luxurious taste, called him "a sybarite." All esthetic minds will be found on the side of those who regard a bend in road or river as picturesque and pleasing, while they look upon a straight one as monotonous and unattractive.

Tourists with an eye to grace love to wind the mazes of the roadway through the Calaveras Big Trees or those in the Mariposa grove. They are less perturbed by the dangers of the six-zag roads up to Big Bear Lake or to the new Los Angeles County Park than thrilled by the scenic wonders viewed on these glorious heights.

Modern landscape gardeners working on a large scale see to it that roads or paths are not straight, but that they wind from point to point. Some of our new city streets in residence sections are made to curve instead of following straight lines. Much attractiveness is added to a thoroughfare in this way. The houses are not set at such severe angles, nor do they face one another so rigidly and uncompromisingly while the shrubbery shows to far better advantage.

Perhaps the artists would be willing to concede that out on country highways there is no need of making a road wiggle all over a level landscape and that curved lines apply better to sloping ground. Probably one reason why the artist balks at the sight of a straight-away perspective is that one is never seen in nature. The brook winding down to the sea over the marshes "writes in silver Beauty's name." The artist loves such a waterway, but he cares nothing for a straight-cut canal or viaduct. He sincerely agrees with the poet who says, "Curved is the line of beauty."

To ascertain whether the contention of the Outdoor Art League that fewer accidents occur on crooked than on straight roads is borne out by the facts would involve considerable research, though the league doubtless would admit that there are altogether too many fatal collisions on the Ridge Route and other long stretches of winding mountain highway.

The Highway Commission is right in ordering that sharp, blind curves should be eliminated, but to straighten a gently bending road through mountain or forest is a sin against art.

BEWARE!

John Bull is reported to be on the point of going into the motion-picture business as a producer.

John better back up. He has no idea what he is thinking of getting into. The war was bad enough; the dole system has had its little annoyances; the constant repetition of strike problems has proved despairful. But when it comes to campaigning for stardom in the flustings and throwing directors' jobs here and there as chunks of political pie, what can the harvest be but grief to the government and loud murmurings among the people?

Government movies will be likely to drive every real star out of England in jig time. How could they exist in a country, in the first place, in which they positively could not lie about their salaries to either the public or the income-tax collectors? And where would their jobs be after a sudden change of Cabinet? What good would temperament do if the politically appointed casting director received a note from whatever high dignitary happened to have command over the Department of Motion Pictures recommending that Lady Althea Porkface or the Hon. Devevieve Clockstopper be given the leading role in his next production—in recognition of the fine services to the party of her father, the Earl of Dubbes?

Suppose, for instance, that stars of filmdom were appointed as political jobholders are appointed here and nearly everywhere!

Horrors, what a calamity!

The people are long-suffering. From politicians they will endure most anything—having become hardened to it by long experience. But when it comes to tampering with their heart-interests they may rise in their might. John Bull is encroaching on dangerous ground. He is planning to quadruple his troubles by a single step.

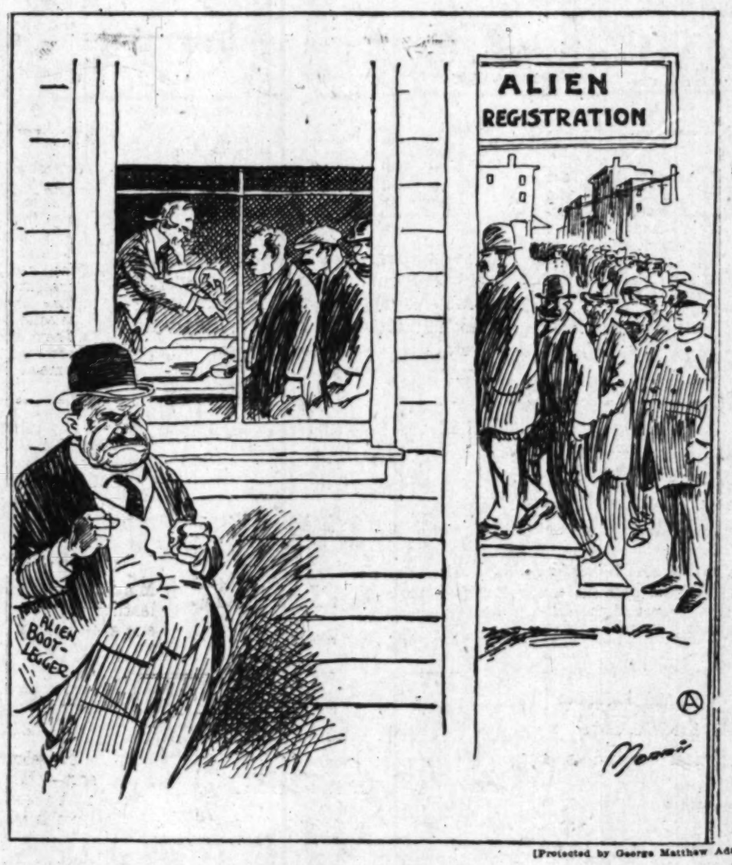
Beware, John. Believe us, we speak as a friend. Beware while the bewaring is good!

THE MOTOR BUSSES

In some States of the Union motor busses traveling on schedules over the public highways pay licenses of less than $100 a year for each vehicle. In other States—like Minnesota, for instance—the license may reach to more than $1200 a year. The difference is vast and must be unjust. The motor bus is putting many a trolley line into the hands of a receiver. The busses are admittedly hard on the highways. They pay no fixed share for the creation or maintenance of the roads they traverse. It is conceded that in most States they do not bear their righteous proportion of the public expense. There is room here for a clearinghouse of thought and legislation. The States should get closer together upon some sort of a regulatory program of licensing.

Another Business Shot to Pieces

Secretary of Labor Davis advocates Alien Registration to thwart the Alien Bootlegger.



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THE INNER VOICE

BY ADRIAN SASHA

My soul: Thy cravings and deep longings have overwhelmed me.
My veins are filled with the echoes of thy constant striving to . . .
Oh, my soul, I have no words for that!

Unto the deep heavens I cast my gaze, and a feeling of ease and contentment descends over me. By day the wonderful blueness that soothes my eyes, and by night the mysterious depths among the myriads of stars.

The rustle of the wind among the trees awakens in me dormant dreams of times so long ago. The blueness of morning rejuvenates my hopes; the shadows of the night refresh me with revelations of consoling depths of vitality; the golden glitter of the sun thrills me with the delight, joy and vigor of harmonious life.

Thou, my soul, art like a blade of grass breaking through the soil, or like the inmost life of a blossoming bud urging its petals to unfold.

Whither shall my feet wander that thou, oh, my soul, shalt see the fulfillment of thy burning desires?

Whither art thou calling me, oh, voice that cometh from the very innermost of my heart? Like a trumpet call that summons the soldier to his post, thou hast a commanding importance. But where is my post?

Sweet art thou, oh, inner voice, like the essence of life and the endless indestructibility of the universe. Like a flash in the dark thou comest and showest me new worlds.

Thou art lifting for me the veil that lies on all things and I can see the essence which is a living, throbbing, pulsating, onward-progressing, gigantic, enormous, unmeasurable life. Life in all things. Life in the entire universe.

LOCARNO

Locarno by the little lake,
Land of the sunshine and the snow;
Once more a singer for thy sake
Would touch the strings of long ago.

Not long ago, for yesterday
Not much we knew of thee or thine,
Save that enchantment 'round thee lay
On all thy hills of oil and wine;

Save that thy waters then were blue,
And bluer still thy summer skies—
And that a kindly nature knew
To make of thee a paradise.

Thou wast so quiet then and lone,
Thou scarce didst hear yon awful quake—
The crash of war and fall of throne
That buried nations in their wake.

Tired out at last with blood and crime
Whole nations sought thy beauteous shore,
And in one moment all sublime
Declared that war should be no more.

Oh, little town amidst the vines—
A wreath of glory's on thy brow
And thou shalt dwell in pleasant lines
For thou belongst to history now.

S. H. M. BYERS.

Although nearly 30,000,000 people visited the Wembley Exposition in England, it proved a monetary loss.

THOSE CHRISTMAS PRES

BY IRENE WILDE

"No, sir, I don't believe in giving a whole lot of ... just because it's Christmas," Mrs. Dominecker declared in front of the big plate-glass window on Broadway ... temptation.

"But if they happen to be the right things?" I ventured.

"They never are," declared Mrs. Dominecker with emphasis.

"Take last year," she continued, "that batik scarf from Kate—it's the wrong color. It's handsome and it's expensive, but it's the wrong color. And those candlesticks from Dare—they're polychrome and polychrome is out of the question in my scheme. And the book ends—I have half a dozen sets and I don't know what to do with them. I don't like the social plays of Pinero and I have no patience with Freud.

I began to feel an admiration for the candor of my companion. What she said had the ring of the practical, at least. And yet my eyes ran hungrily and hopefully over the enchanting array of gaily frosted gifts in the window.

"Christmas ought to be modernized," continued Mrs. Dominecker, "our system of you-give-me and I'll-give-you—anything, just so it's a gift—ought to be experted and put on an efficiency basis."

"I suppose the system does show poor economics," I agreed, running my eyes over the enchantment of frosted gifts—little beaded bags, a collar of rose point, a silver-mounted flashlight, a bottle of Houbigant, an impressionistic vase, a mirror with two fat cherubs entwined at the top, a string of amber beads, a Toby pitcher, a Swiss boudoir clock. I didn't particularly need any of these exotic trifles, but the sight of them set me agog with visions of Christmas morning and gay miracles.

"It's all too materialistic, anyway," broke in Mrs. Dominecker. "Christmas is being commercialized like everything else. Its observance should be put on a higher plane. I don't say it should consist of the singing of psalms; what I mean is people should make the celebration a season of uplift—promote peace and good will and that sort of thing."

"She's scored," I acknowledged to myself, feeling vaguely for some shred of rhyme or reason to bolster up my sordid interest in gifts.

"Doubtless," I conceded, "it is both selfish and sentimental to cling to the custom of gifts—material, useless gifts. I wonder how the custom originated, anyway?"

"Like a lot of other foolish customs—it's a primitive hangover," said Mrs. Dominecker promptly. "Now I must go in and select those bridge favors; the club meets at my house tomorrow."

"'A foolish custom,'" I reflected. "How did it originate?"

Then I heard the echo of a familiar voice reading from an old book. "There came wise men from the East . . . and they presented unto him gifts, gold, frankincense and myrrh . . ."

Of what possible use could such gifts be to an infant—to anyone, in fact?

They were wise men, too.

I went into the next shop and spent the remainder of my monthly pay check for a marvelous tortoise-shell comb, a pair of silk garters and a toy balloon and mailed 'em early.

NEIGHBORLINESS

BY THE SUBURBANITE

We had a christening at our house the other day and the thing which made the deepest impression on my mind was the neighborliness of Ourville. Had we been in the roaring town our next-door neighbors probably wouldn't have known we had a christening, we being pretty good obeyers of the Volstead and other laws and making no fuss about even our distinguished guests. But in little Ourville everybody knew it. Nearly everybody knew, too, that recently we'd lost our housemaid and couldn't all attend the christening unless somebody came in and took care of the other three children; nearly everybody knew we were one of the few families possessing no motor vehicle.

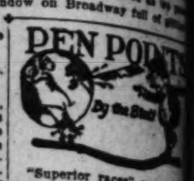
We didn't have to ask any favors. One neighbor sent over to volunteer to stay at home with the children, as soon as she learned the christening was to be at just the time they take their nap. (Of course, it being Ourville and not the city, she knew just when they took their nap and long has made a practice of timing her calls with that in mind.) Another young woman also volunteered with equal thoughtfulness and spontaneity. But Mrs. Detrick, the old German neighbor, took the prize. "I will stay mit de udder childrens," she said, "and also will wash de dishes." We insisted, of course, that she should not. But when we got home after the christening the dishes were all washed. It was such an act of quiet kindliness as one doesn't see every day—not even in Ourville.

The morning of the christening I started to the garage to hire a car. But I stopped at the postoffice and friends who met me there placed two at my disposal. And so it went all day—now here, now there, people surprised me with kindliness. Surprised me because I did not know they even knew what was happening at our house.

I've read some books condemning the narrowness of small towns. And I've come to the conclusion that all such books are written by authors who may be very clever, very daring, very startling, perhaps, in their theories—but are entirely too small to really appreciate "folks."

PNEUMATIC TIRE'S ORIGIN

The pneumatic tire, which is now used on every type of vehicle from a perambulator to a mammoth motor coach, had a very humble origin, for it was suggested to the inventor by the sight of a length of rubber garden hose tied round the wheel of a wheelbarrow.



"Superior races" are those (1) want much, and (2) get it.

College humor: Any old dressed up in new slang.

A cynic is one who freed enthusiasm for a few and ries.

The tumult and the shodie; nothing much left but ty and students.

Typical Americanism: ing for endowment as that doesn't need it.

Rats! In the so-called "days" wolves lurked beside trail instead of hot dogs.

Surely it won't be a hard w The coal man's excuses are ner than usual.

Even small towns have men, but none of them are scalpers.

The longer the winter the er the time to pay for Chr presents before spring

If it is customary to talk and stupid to talk about weather a meteorologist might well be dumb.

France is having an amount of rain, but you can't a doughboy believes any unusual there.

Every town has at leaman who is venerated for particular reason.

"Learn to speak French French do." But don't, name, learn to speak Engthe English do.

Among those who appreproblem of distribution with intelligence is the stork.

You've seen these bathe in which the large ones the small ones. Well, ternationalism.

If some alien must be appto enforce our laws, why not solini?

Correct this sentence: "the most popular girl in said the professor, "and class."

People who live in glass should have clear conscience.

Some people are like complexions—all on the

There is always a sorry for the ills of other people.

It seems they can't get too short to suit the fashthe men.

The biggest problem of is to keep both the debts car running.

There wouldn't be so much at the top if more of us too lazy to climb.

RIPPLING RHYME

RIVALRY

The Mudville boosters fair Punktown-in-the-Hay down taste they pander themselves away. Our they belittle, and fairy tell; they say we sit and when we should whoop They say, these Mudville we spend in slumber hours when we should pay them no attention. lage we ignore; let them invention of libels everwhelm, to knock a rival way to win; the town survival view others with There comes the cultured who's looking for a town to build his manger and settle down. He calls around him to see what to find, and Mudville ware him and lacerate his hide. skates seem strangely voices thus his thoughts: jump on every critter who buy their lots. But Pu serenely among her folds she isn't talking mainly admitting that Punktown peach, are 'tending to Get ting, they do not rant and So there I'll lay an acre there writing verse, and undertaker comes for me hearse." The people gaining come here to toil while Mudville's valuables to rope such people in.

WALT MA

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Reprehensible Levity

A man was charged with ing a horse, and after a the jury acquitted him. the day the man came back asked the judge for a warr the lawyer who had defended him.

"What's the charge?" the judge.

"Why, your honor," replied man, "you see, I didn't have money to pay him so he took the horse! That's the change.

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(Main Floor.)

Imported Atomizers

VARIOUS styles in clear glass, decorated in fancy designs, and styles in bright colors. $2.95

Imported atomizers in unique designs representing French characters, distinctive. $3.95

(Main Floor.)

Christmas Cards are here in a larger and more varied assortment than we have ever had before. You will find just the most appropriate card for every requirement. They embody the humorous, the novel, the unique, the distinctive.

Last Minute Gift Suggestions

Are you puzzled about some Christmas gift or racking your brain over gift problems which have turned up at the last minute? Many of us are. Here are only a few suggestions; for others, come to the store.

Merchandise Certificates are a clever solution to your most puzzling gift problems. They are issued in any amount, and the recipients may present them at any time and make their selections in person. They are always an acceptable gift and a time-saver for you.

Christmas 'Kerchiefs

25c NOVELTIES galore, and the always-good linen embroidered ones.

35c Styles for men, women and children in these.

At 20c; six for $1.00.—colored prints of the prettiest sorts.

(Main Floor.)

Christmas Neckwear

A SAMPLE assortment 1/2 in tailored and lace pieces; collars, with or without cuffs, vests, guimpes, jabots and sleeves—just in time for holiday buying, at a saving.

(Main Floor.)

200 Taffeta Silk Pillows $5.85

BEAUTIFUL new pillows, freshly made; in the most attractive designs; some trimmed with flowers and gold lace—a pillow to fit in any corner of the house.

Three-panel Mirrors

Just 50 of them; French beveled mirrors in a variety of designs; specially priced for Monday. $11.45

(Fourth Floor—Coulter's)

Bridge or Junior Standards

Of wrought iron — graceful and shown in new designs of the giftiest sort; specially priced Monday. $6.95

3-Fold Pass Books $3.50

IN crepe grain or Morocco leather; one and two passes and fold pockets; some with gold corners; some leather-lined.

(Main Floor)

Genuine Cowhide Overnight Bags

A WONDERFUL gift for some fortunate woman, these leather-lined real cowhide bags which are so convenient; specially priced for Monday. $10.95

Overnight Bags

Made of genuine Meritas leather cloth; styles for women; excellent values. $5.00

Cowhide Suit Cases

Round corner, genuine cowhide cases, with silk moire linings; specially featured Monday. $14.75

(Main Floor—Coulter's.)

Kimono Silks for Christmas Gifts

Handsome Radiums and Rayon Brocades, 32 to 36 inches wide; in floral effects; yard.....$3 to $4

Quilted Satin — wool-back; 34 inches wide, in pastel colors; yard .....$4 and $4.50

Novelty Sateens—36 inches wide; fifteen pieces in choice colors, special, yard 50c

Novelty Satins—30 inches wide; in large floral patterns; special, yard $2.25

Orkeda Silks—36 inches wide; plain colors; special, yard.....$1.35

Rayon Brocades—for linings or robes; yard.....$1.25

(Second Floor)

Give a Wool Dress Pattern to Someone

Twilled Worsteds—black and colors; 54 inches wide, yard, $5 to $7.50

Tweed Suitings—all new for spring; stripes and Jacquards; 54 inch .....$5 to $6

Checks in black and white; all desired sizes; yard..$4.50, $5 and $6

(Second Floor)

Pequot Hemstitched Sheets and Cases

Will be practical reminders, and sure to please:

42x36 Cases, each.....50c
45x36 .....55c
45x38½ 60c
63x99 Sheets $1.80
63x108 .....$1.95
72x99 .....$1.95
72x108 or 81x99.....$2.10
81x108 .....$2.30
90x108 .....$2.45

Hand-Embroidered Pillow Cases—imported from Ireland; of very fine cotton with neat embroidery, special, pair $3.75

Machine-embroidered cases with scalloped ends and lace; pair, $1.75

(Second Floor)

Umbrellas---Exceptional Gifts---Special $4.95

Women's colored silk and Gloria umbrellas in the short stubby styles now in vogue; club handles and Bakelite tips, with stub ferrules.

Umbrellas make ideal gifts for men or women.

Men's Umbrellas in fine silks, beginning at $5.00

(Main Floor.)

Give Silks *for Christmas*

DAINTILY packed in a gift box, what could be a more luxurious gift to any woman?

Printed Radiums, $3.00 Yd.
36 inches wide—the new Spring colors.

Printed Crepes de Chine $3.50 and $4 Yd.
40 inches wide; in Spring colors.

Tub Silks, $2.95 Yd.
32 inches wide—all new patterns in stripes; light and dark shades.

Silks, $1.95, Special
40-inch Crepes de Chine, Radium Taffetas, Georgette Crepes, in all colors.

Brocades for Robing $3 to $5.50 Yd.
36 inches wide; rayon brocades in rich, dark colors.

Wide-Wale Corduroys, 85c Yd.
32 inches wide; in robing shades.

Chinese Brocades, $2.95
A special price, on fifteen different shades; 24-inch width.

Silk-faced Duvetyn, $1.75
35 inches wide; in 25 of the best colorings.

Crepe de Chine, $2.25 Yd.
Flat finish; 30 shades, and white; 40 inches wide.

Chiffon Velvets, $3.75 Yd.
39 inches wide; in black.

(Second Floor—Coulter's.)

Christmas Tying Ribbons 20c for 10 Yards

Novelty ribbons of the prettiest sort—they add the finishing touch of daintiness to a gift. Others of better quality for more, of course.

Ribbons at 25c a Yard—4 to 7 ins. wide; in solid colors, striped and brocaded; for men's neckwear, and for bows, bindings, etc., values to $1.25.

At 25c a Yard—another lot of narrow ribbons for garters, bows, trimmings; plain moire, satin and various novelties.

(Main Floor.)

One and Two-Piece Sports Suits Reduced

The gift of gifts for the college or school girl!

Some of satin, crepe de chine, velveteen, Heath cloth or velveteen with plaid combined; balbriggan and jersey, special $19.50

Knitted Sports Coats—smartly tailored or of novelty weaves in dressy styles .....$16.50 to $49.50

Silk Petticoats—in radium, taffeta and jersey—the entire assortment Monday at .....Half

(Third Floor.)

Kayser Marvelfit Sport Bloomers $4.95

Made with the double elastic and finished with cuff to wear over the knee; in black, grey, beige, camel and oak; sizes 5, 6 and 7; a popular gift to a woman.

Vanity Fair Step-in Chemise—of fine silk, lace-trimmed and semi-tailored; in Nile, peach, shrimp and white; sizes 36 to 42.....$3.25

(Fourth Floor)

An Electric Curling Iron Will Please Her!

Particularly if it is complete with cord and wall plug, and guaranteed, as these are; special 75c

Hair Nets in holly boxes; a practical gift; single mesh, dozen, 95c; double mesh, doz. $1.35

Rubber Household Aprons—plain and novelty trimmings of the cleverest sorts .....50c to $2.25

(Main Floor.)

Initialed Nightgowns Each $1.45

Of nainsook, with Val. lace edge; short set-in sleeves; eyelet embroidery and all popular initials, with double hemstitching; sizes 15, 16, 17.

(Fourth Floor)

Woolen Scarfs, Special $10.00 Each

Reduced for Monday; gorgeous colorings and finest wool—warm and delightful gift things.

(Main Floor.)

A Practical and Pretty Gift---- that of New Dress Cottons

New Crepes, 36 ins. wide; decorated with rayon; broken plaids in self colorings, and new vivid designs on bright grounds, yard. $1.75

Normandie Voiles—new Spring patterns in dots and other designs; 38 inches wide, yard 50c

Plain Voiles in colors for handkerchiefs, cushions, dresses or lingerie; 38 ins. wide; yard, 50c, 75c and $1.

Panico Cloth — 36 inches wide; all colors and white — for luncheon cloths and napkins; it resembles linen and is fast in color; yard 50c

(Second Floor.)

Gold and Silver Cloth in Imitation Leather at 1-2

Widths 1 to 18 inches—these are extensively used to trim hats, dresses and sports garments, and are reduced at a most timely moment.

(Main Floor.)

Why Not Save on Fresh Drapery Materials?

We make plain curtains free; orders filled in rotation as received.

Rayon Gauze, 48 ins. widths in rose and blue, rose and gold, blue and gold, plain gold and sand tones; special, yard...$1.00

Striped and Figured Marquisettes—36 and 40 inches wide; fast colored Grenadines, dotted Swiss and filet nets; extra values at yd. 50c

(Second Floor.)

Discriminating Women Will Buy
WINTER COATS—*Now*

BECAUSE now may be had widest selection, and because now one may save just as much as during the after-Christmas usual sales; and furthermore, because Christmas-time is "dress-up" time, and no one wants to look shabby!

Coats $120
Values to $250

Coats of Needlepoint, Carmina, Cashmere Imperial, Kashinora, Kashorette—all distinguished coating materials; in Gracklehead, black, gray, cuckoo, lipstick and tanager shades.

Beautifully trimmed with squirrel, beaver, skunk, wolf, krimmer and fox furs—and made by the finest coat manufacturers in America!

Coats $79.50
Values to $150

Materials in this group comprise Needlepoint, Roulustra, Carmina, Allura and Kashinora; in black, sea swallow, gray, cuckoo, Queenbird, Gracklehead and tanager — winter's leading colors.

Collars, cuffs, sometimes borders of squirrel, fox, wolf, beaver, fitch, mink and mole.

Coats $49.50
Values to $89.50

Wonderfully fine coats here at a nominal price—Pinpoint, Glovella, Lustrosa, Carmina—in black, cuckoo, Gracklehead, gray, Queenbird, green and tan.

They are smart with trimmings of dyed squirrel, beaver, wolf, mink, opossum and fitch.

In all garments we have a wide range of sizes, to fit almost anyone who comes looking.

THIRD FLOOR—COULTER'S

A Kenwood Blanket is a Royal Gift

Because every woman knows its intrinsic value and its high quality.

A limited number in full size (72x84) preshrunk; bound with satiline ribbon, known as Style B, in solid blue or tan, ea..$9.95

Down Comforts—six by seven feet in size; with English cambric coverings (the only one that seems to be down-proof;) in Persian and early American or Colonial patterns; regularly $23.50 ..... $19.50

Plaid Blankets—part wool, in beautifully soft colorings; bound with satiline ribbon; regularly $6.85 pair $4.95

(Second Floor.)

Sterling Silver Gifts Last for Years

Mayonnaise Sets, ...$5.75
Salt & Pepper Shakers..$3.95 to $6.95
Individual Salt Sets, ...$1.95 and $2.95
Bud Vases ....$2.45 and $2.95
Flower Vases ....$4.85 and $5.95
Bonbon Baskets $8.75
Sherbet Sets ..$16.50
Sugar & Cream Sets, ... $10.95
Steak Sets (sterling handles) $3.45
Carving Sets—three pieces, with sterling handles $5.95
Candlesticks—8-inch, pair $5.00
10-inch, pr...$6.95
12-inch, pr..$10.95
Bread & Butter Plate Sets—of six pieces. $29.50

(Main Floor.)

Ostrich Feather Fans at Half Price

Every fan in stock is reduced, just when you want to buy one for some sub-deb as a wondrous gift! Priced regularly at $5.95 to $27.50.

(Main Floor.)

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Of Interest to Women.

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SOCIETY

BY JUANA NEAL LEVY

Christmas entertainments of every description have been the center of interest at the University of Southern California during the last week, one of the most interesting being the Faculty Social Friday evening, the 11th inst., at the Women's Residence Hall, 686 West Thirty-sixth street, attended by several hundred faculty members.

Holly, mistletoe and pepper boughs provided a realistic Christmas setting with a huge Christmas tree beautifully decorated and hung with gifts which were distributed to the various guests.

Thereon Clark, registrar of the University of Southern California, was in charge of the arrangements, assisted by Miss Edith Johnson, C. V. Beers, Kenneth M. Bissell C. R. Johnston, W. R. LaPorte, A. M. Perry, R. E. Schultz and G. P. Tanquary. An amusing and appropriate address was given by Dean Laird J. Stabler of the College of Pharmacy.

The Women's Residence Hall also was the scene of a gay entertainment Monday night, when the residents of the university girl's dormitory conducted the first Christmas party in the new hall. More than 100 guests were present, including Dr. Mary Sinclair Crawford, dean of women at the University of Southern California, and Miss Rosamund Bell, hostess at the Women's Residence Hall. The affair was planned by Miss Barbara Bronson, assisted by Miss Catherine O'Connor, Miss Alice Johnson, Miss Thelma Bolton, Miss Hazel Rogers, Miss Jean Montgomery, Miss Janet Montgomery, Miss Sarah Faye, Miss Betty Budd and Miss Marjorie Hull.

Theta Omicrom sorority gave a delightful affair recently when the active members entertained with an informal dance in honor of the pledges at the chapter house, 2627 Portland street, with Miss Jessie Grant and Miss June Lindquist in charge of arrangements.

Yuletide decorations provided an artistic background, with a realistic snow scene rivaling the beautifully adorned Christmas tree. Patrons of the evening included Dr. and Mrs. John D. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harshman and Dr. Mildred Struble.

Alpha Gamma Delta sorority conducted its annual midnight Christmas party at the chapter house, 628 West Twenty-eighth street, for its active members, the alumnae and pledges, the affair being in charge of Miss Gertrude Mason. The house was gaily adorned with Christmas decorations of holly and pepper boughs, the center of attraction being a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Gifts were exchanged and each girl presented a special gift to the chapter house, following out a tradition of long standing.

The Stray Greek organization of University of Southern California, composed of members of national fraternities and sororities from all over the country, who have no chapter at U.S.C., entertained at a delightful informal dance Tuesday, the 15th inst., the affair taking place at the Theta Sigma Nu frat house, 2636 Portland street. Miss Helen Seeley, a Gamma Phi Beta from the University of Arizona, was in charge of arrangements assisted by Miss Doris Chaplin. Harry Rockerfeller and William Courtright. Weekly luncheons are conducted by this group at the Cosy Den in West Jefferson street and a number of interesting social affairs has been given for the purpose of forming friendships among students from other colleges and universities who have no fraternal affiliations here.

Faculty members include Dr. Karl T. Daugh, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, who is a Phi Delta Theta; H. Dean Campbell, assistant director of Metropolitan College, who is a Delta Upsilon from the University of Minnesota, and Miss Frances Lucas, a Gamma Phi Beta from George Washington University.

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Christmas Tea

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Ralph Chandler entertained the members of the Woodrow Wilson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, at her home in North Hobart Boulevard. The affair was in the nature of a Christmas tea, the Yuletide spirit being displayed throughout the drawing rooms. Among those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. George Trowbridge, Mrs. Collier Willy, Mrs. Burnett Wright, Mrs. William Barnes, Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. Nancy Rice Anderson, Miss Billie Barnes, Mrs. James Cheek, Mrs. Marion Darby, Mrs. Allan Fredhold, Mrs. George McComb, Mrs. Katherine Polhamus, Mrs. G. Harris Robertson, Mrs. Eugene Riche and Mrs. Sydney Brough.

A series of supper dances is being planned by the members of the Woodrow Wilson chapter soon after the holidays, the proceeds to be devoted to the scholarship they are maintaining.

At Rancho Santa Fe

Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Nichols have closed their home in Los Angeles and will be at La Morada, Rancho Santa Fe, for several months. Their two daughters, Miss Lillian Lowther and Miss Elizabeth Lowther, who are attending Miss Fulmer's school in West Adams street, and University of California, Southern Branch, respectively, are motoring down to pass the Christmas holidays with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols are also entertaining the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sturges of Independence, Mo., who are planning to pass the winter in Southern California, visiting points of interest up and down the Coast. During their parents' absence the Misses Lowther are domiciled at Brighton Hall, on the campus of University of California. Miss Elizabeth is a sophomore at the university, while Miss Lillian is president of her class at Miss Fulmer's.

Woodard-Nealey

Announcement is made of the marriage the 15th inst. of Miss Ruth Woodard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Woodard of San Bernardino, to Herbert Donnell Nealey, son of Mrs. May Nealey, the ceremony taking place in the Methodist parsonage with Rev. Edwin N. Askey officiating. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Nealey left in their machine for a wedding trip to Mexico and after their return will occupy a new home which is to be built at the Nealey rancho near the mouth of Lytle Creek Canyon.

Sunday Concerts

The Sunday evening concerts at the Gaylord are unique affairs when the guests gather informally around the huge glowing wood fire and music, humor and poetry make glad the long Sunday evenings. Last evening Susan Gaspel's clever travesty on psycho-analysis, dubbed "Suppressed Desires," a one-act sketch, featured the entertainment, while later Arthur Weiderhols, Dorothy Weiderhols, Harry James Beardsley, Gene Lamb, Earle Houck and Marietta Page contributed to the program.

Here and Holidays

Among the members of the young college set who will be gladly welcomed home are Miss Elizabeth Reynolds and her brother Henry Reynolds, who are arriving Wednesday to pass the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. F. M. Kennedy, 1225 North Granada street in Alhambra. The former is a student at Smith College, while her brother attends school in Lawrenceville, N. Y. They have not been home for more than a year as they passed the summer's vacation traveling in Europe.

From Stanford

Miss Fay Harrison, who is attending Stanford University, arrived home Saturday to pass the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Harrison, of the Victoria Arms.

Wintering Here

Sir Frank and Lady Barnard of Victoria, B. C., are distinguished guests at the Ambassador this winter. Sir Frank Bernard, K.C.M.G., is a former Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia.

Winter Plans

Mrs. Norwell Annesley of Pittsburgh, Pa., who passed the summer at Long Beach, is now a guest at Hotel Green, Pasadena, where she will remain for the winter season.

Cleaning Spinach

This worthy vegetable can be very sandy at times and extreme measures must be taken to make it edible. Try this way. Toss the spinach in the clean sink and remove all roots and stems before wetting. There is no sense in having that extra dirt to contend with and in these roots most of the sand lies. Put the picked spinach in the dishpan and run in cold water. Souse up and down. Drain and run in hot water. Repeat the process. Then run in cold water and let stand until ready for using. See if you can find any sand.

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SUNBEAM MIXED lb. 15c
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FANCY Cream Mix. lb. 25c
Cocoanut Bonbons lb. 30c

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VERY CHOICE OREGON FIRS
Table Trees 25c to 50c Larger Trees 75c up

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Fancy Budded WALNUTS 40c
I X L ALMONDS 40c
MIXED NUTS 35c

PUDDING
HEINZ FIG or PLUM
SMALL SIZE 20c
MEDIUM SIZE 42c
LARGE SIZE 75c

Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

Author of "Diet and Health" and "Diet for Children"

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

Mrs. C.—Dizzy spells can be caused by many different things: Trouble with the intestinal tract, the ears, eyes, too-high blood pressure, heart, anemia, pelvic trouble, etcetera. Naturally the cause must be determined before any intelligent treatment can be given, and that, of course, means a complete examination by a competent physician.

The fact that you seem to be relieved by taking powdered rhubarb and soda may indicate that yours are due to autointoxication from the intestinal tract. I think if you will go on a diet of buttermilk, or better still, acidophilus milk, for three or four days to a week, and then continue to take at least a pint of the acidophilus milk a day, your trouble might be remedied. Of course, you must see that you are getting a balanced diet, and you must pay particular attention to avoid constipation by your diet and by exercises.

(We have a list of firms who sell the acidophilus milk and also articles on Constipation and Balanced Diet, which may help you. Send a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request.)

TAPEWORMS

Mrs. C.—If you have a tapeworm you will be passing segments of the worm. These are little oblong pieces about one inch long and one-half inch thick. Tapeworms come from eating underdone meats taken from animals that have been infected with the worm. It takes two or three months for the full-length worm to grow, after eating the infected meat.

The treatment is very drastic, and you should see your physician for it.

GAINING AFTER LOSING

S.—I am glad that you, your sister and daughter have had such wonderful results from the reducing instructions.

You always gain two or three pounds when you go back to your maintenance diet, but don't worry about that. It is due largely to a retention of more water, not to fat. You ought to lose a pound a week on 1700 calories, unless you are very short, for undoubtedly that is not enough for your maintenance number if you have any physical activities at all.

Gradually increase your exercises so that you are toning up your muscles the same time you are losing your fat.

(Those of you who missed our instructions on reducing may have them in condensed form for the request accompanied by self-addressed, stamped envelope and 10 cents in stamps.)

SCIATICA

Mrs. W.—There may be several causes for sciatica and other nerve pains. If there is any pressure on the nerve or any infection of the nerve, from any cause, the nerve itself may become inflamed and a true neuritis result. This will cause a tenderness to pressure along the nerve and give a constant pain. (In neuralgia the nerves themselves are not so painful and the pain is not constant.)

Neuralgia may be caused by poisons (toxins) circulating in the blood and these can have their source from any infection elsewhere in the body, such as bad tonsils, bad teeth, running ears, etcetera, or from absorption of poisons from the intestinal tract when that is not normal.

Each case should have a thorough physical examination by a competent physician to determine the cause. Immediate relief may often be obtained by a very hot Bliss bath, or very hot applications.

Have you bought your Christmas seals yet, to help in the prevention and cure of tuberculosis?

(Tomorrow — Answers to Correspondents)

My Dear Followers: When sending for material which we offer you, please remember to inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope bearing your full name and address. The pamphlet on reducing and gaining is the only one for which you must inclose 15 cents in stamps extra. Address your letters to me in care of this paper. Make them as brief as possible, but over 200 words, and type or write them legibly with ink. Please state your name as evidence of good faith—we will not use it in any way. Remember it is impossible for me to diagnose for you or to answer you personally. I appreciate very much the beautiful letters you send me and regret it is impossible to give you individual advice. The questions you ask will be answered in this column as soon as possible, if they are of general interest. Don't forget the stamped, self-addressed envelope if you expect me to send you the information I have offered.

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CHEF WYMAN'S Suggestions for TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast
Casaba melon
Hominy grits and cream
Poached eggs on toast
Milk Coffee

Luncheon
Kidney saute, Armstrong
Baked potato
Orange salad
Lord Baltimore cake
Milk Tea

Dinner
Fresh Crab cocktail
Baked pork spare ribs, Soubise
Lima beans
Browned sweet potatoes
Hearts of lettuce, French dressing
Ginger pudding
Milk Coffee

KIDNEY SAUTE, ARMSTRONG

Remove the skin from two fresh veal kidneys and cut in four pieces lengthwise; carefully remove the fat and gristle from the center and slice crosswise in slices one-eighth of an inch thick. Place in a bowl, cover with cold salted water and let stand twenty minutes, drain and dry between clean towels. Place in a bowl and mix with them one tablespoon of olive oil. Place in a saute pan two tablespoons of butter, heat and add one sliced onion and simmer until the onion is clear; remove the onion, reheat the butter and when it is hot, not brown, add the kidneys and shake over a hot fire for three minutes. Place the kidneys on squares of buttered toast on a hot platter. Remove the pan to a slow fire and add one tablespoon of butter, and two and a half tablespoons of sifted flour and cook stirring often until brown. Stir in one cup of consomme or one bouillion cube dissolved in one cup of hot water, half a cup of strained orange juice, two teaspoons of lemon juice and a seasoning of salt and pepper. Simmer three minutes and strain over the kidneys.

ORANGE SALAD

For each portion peel and remove all of the white inner skin from one tart orange. Cut in one-quarter inch slices and dredge them in finely-chopped walnut meats. Lay the slices on chilled lettuce leaves and pour over two tablespoons of fruit salad dressing.

LORD BALTIMORE CAKE

Beat half a cup of butter to a cream and add gradually one cup of sifted sugar and beat until smooth; add the well-beaten yolks of seven eggs and beat five minutes. Sift one and three-quarters cups of sifted flour with four level teaspoons of baking powder and add to the butter mixture, alternately, with half a cup of milk and beat until smooth. Bake in three buttered and floured layer cake tins. Remove from the pans, cool, and spread between the layers Lord Baltimore filling; cover the sides and top with ice cream frosting and decorate with candied cherries and leaves of candied citron.

LORD BALTIMORE FILLING

Cook one and a half cups of sugar with half a cup of water until it will spin a thread when a little is dropped from the tip of a spoon. Pour gradually, beating all the time, onto the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs, add half a teaspoon of vanilla and when it starts to thicken add one cup of rolled macaroon crumbs, four tablespoons of finely chopped almonds, four tablespoons of finely chopped walnut meats, four tablespoons of chopped candied cherries, two teaspoons of orange juice and one teaspoon of lemon juice.

GINGER PUDDING

Place in a saucepan two cups of cream, three-quarters of a cup of butter, and three-quarters of a cup of sugar; heat until it starts to simmer; take to the side of the fire and stir in quickly one and a half cups of sifted flour sifted with half a teaspoon of salt. Return to the fire and stir for five minutes. Remove from the fire and beat in five eggs, one at a time, and beat until well mixed; add one cup of chopped preserved ginger; pour into a buttered mold and steam one and a half hours. Serve with a custard sauce made with the syrup from the ginger.

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We talk about the "present generation" in horrified tones but perhaps if mother and daddy would keep with the growing boys and girls and try to understand and interest themselves in the "awful doings," they would seem more natural instead of so terrible.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

Home Logic

A bright kitchen will reflect cheeriness.

Corks soaked in oil for five minutes will become both air and water tight.

Set cut flowers in a pail of water up to their necks each night if you would have them last.

A few drops of ammonia will help wonderfully in the dish water if the dishes are unusually greasy

A Help When Shopping

If shopping downtown is rather confusing to you, buy as many small articles around your neighborhood as possible and when necessary to shop in town, make out a definite list of the places you must go, with the items to be purchased alongside of them. You will find it a great help.

Turning the Roast

Use two wooden or agate spoons instead of a fork to turn the roast and you will not lose any of the meat juices in the pricking of the fork.

A Thick Paring

When paring turnips, remove quite a bit of the outer skin. The turnip has an outer part that will destroy the flavor of the vegetable if not removed.

Baby's Rompers

Baby's rompers need such vigorous treatment to get them clean that frequently the color goes with the hard washing. Soap dyes in pink, blue and tan are convenient to have on hand to give them a little coloring after washing. It takes but a few minutes extra and baby's rompers always look fresh and new.

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FOODS OF SUPREME QUALITY

MONDAY MORNING.

EAN TRAINING HOOL SOUGHT

Thinks Port's Size Warrants Project

Aids Similar Eastern Institutions

Education Board on Expenditure

ing that Los Angeles, by of its importance as a port, ed to a nautical training ilar to those operated co-operation with the States government at Boston, Philadelphia and New York, mber of Commerce has deeeding to announcements to launch a move here ing such an acquisition ideal harbor.

this week, a committee chamber will call on the of Education, it was said, to views from that body and ials whether the board feel inclined to vote an exre to be used with funds by the United States for ing such an institution.

eastern schools were es- prior to existence of Los as a seaport, it was pointed d L. Kreider, chairman of ber's harbor and foreign- committee, that the Con- ress section providing for such ds had not been made to this city.

d a school be obtained for ation, the government will a ship in the harbor, it was ines the classes would be ing giving the embryo sea- nautical experience.

OTING AFFAIR AT PARTY JAILS EIGHT

Stovall, 28 years of age, of 1646 West Thirty-sixth was shot and seriously at 3810 Denker avenue, terday morning during ences of a gay party, ac- to University police. Eight were lodged in the City e material witnesses. Police Manning and Renfrew ed a major operation on at the Receiving Hospital.

ON PAWHUSKA SUSPECT McGuire, wanted at Paw- on a felony warrant, se- to police, was taken into here yesterday by Officer Horan. McGuire was ar- at the request of Sheriff Frens of Pawhuska, who the Los Angeles authorities the suspect would promise rt to him Monday morning d be released. McGuire ed to drive to Pawhuska n himself up to the Sheriff tioning.

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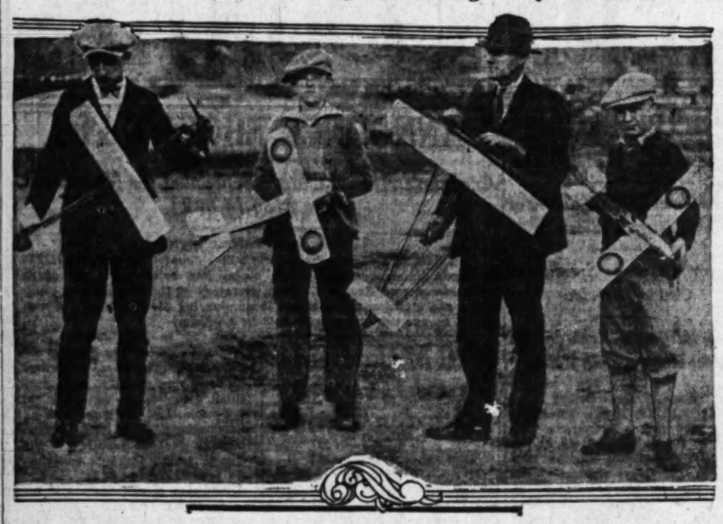

Miniature Machines in Flying Circus

Pilots and their models participating in first monthly aviation meet conducted by the Southern California Model Airplane Builders' Club. Left to right the pilots represented are, Ray Albee, Carlyle Wingett, William E. Bodenlos and Jimmy Fox.

TRIO BREAKS FROM ROOM IN HOSPITAL

Prisoners at Norwalk Institution Force Way Through Window Guard

Three inmates, James A. Murphy, Victor L. Thompson and C. C. Breeden, escaped from Norwalk State Hospital about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, according to a report received from the institution by deputy sheriffs.

A hospital official said the three were confined in one room and apparently threw themselves at the same time against a window guard, forcing it open sufficiently to enable an escape.

Deputy Sheriffs Patton, Davis and Godard are searching for the men. Murphy and Breed were said to be about 30 years of age and Thompson about 35 or 40 years of age. Murphy formerly was a soldier. He was, according to a hospital physician, involved in an automobile theft. The other two had been in no trouble, it was said.

Each was committed to the institution from Los Angeles.

BURNED BY GAS HEATER

Joe Prunemer, of 1214 West First street was treated at the Receiving Hospital early yesterday morning for second degree burns. Prunemer, according to his report to detectives, came in late and lit a gas heater before going to bed. He was awakened by smoke and was burned in extinguishing the blaze.

LEFT HER AND NAME, SHE SAYS

James P. Hight Took Other Woman's Cognomen, Wife Asserts

James P. Hight left not only his wife, but his name with her, according to the divorce complaint of Grace W. Hight, on file in the office of the County Clerk.

He established himself in a flat at 431 South Rampart street with a Mrs. Pleasant B. Curry, and went under the name of Curry himself. Mrs. Hight charged. When she asked him to come back to her and their children, he refused, she said.

WORKING GIRLS TO BE GUESTS OF CLUB

Working girls of Los Angeles, and especially those away from home, are invited to a Christmas party to be given by the Girls' Corner Club tomorrow evening at the Philharmonic Auditorium Building. Preparations have been made to feed and present gifts to 500 young women. The entertainment will begin at 6 p.m. and will last until 9 p.m. A musical program will be given by the choir boys of St. Paul's Cathedral. Guy Bush will enact the role of Santa Claus and an address will be given by Mrs. Frances Neth, director of the club.

EIGHT VICTIMS OF BANDITS

Hold-up Men Beat Several After Taking Valuables; Girl Cashier Among Unfortunate

Eight robberies were reported to the police late Saturday night and early Sunday morning.

Miss Jassamine Froe, cashier employed by a bakery at 3601 Sunset Boulevard, was held up by a lone bandit who entered the place late Saturday night and rifled the cash register of $100.

L. D. Lowe, a sailor aboard the U.S.S. Medusa, accepted a ride in an automobile with two men and a woman. Between Third and Fourth on Los Angeles street he was thrown from the car after being robbed of $40.

Two men held up J. P. McCarthy of 1409 Pennsylvania street near the intersection of Sunset Boulevard and North Main street, obtaining $25.

LOSES YULE PRESENTS

Alex Nato of 1080 Temple street was accosted by four men and a woman at Hope and Temple streets and robbed of $100 and some Christmas packages he had just purchased for his family. He was severely beaten by one of the thugs before the woman intervened.

Two men driving a car held up Kendall C. Korte of 130 East Avenue 43 near the intersection of Sunset Boulevard and Main street. After beating him the bandits robbed Korte of $75. The victim is employed in the City Engineer's office.

James G. Murphy of 1144½ North Los Angeles street met a man at Sixth street and Ceres avenue, who invited him up an alley to have a drink. Murphy accepted the invitation. Instead of a drink Murphy got a punch in the jaw and lost $40.

YELLS SAVE ONE

G. S. Reed, a taxicab driver, who resides at 457 West Forty-seventh street, picked up a fare near Normandie avenue and La Salle street early yesterday morning. Reed had gone a block toward town when his fare jabbed a gun against his back and relieved him of $12.

Harold Bussell, 1737 East Fifty-eighth street, was sitting in his machine with a girl companion near Fifteenth street and Myrtle avenue early yesterday morning when two men held him up. Bussell yelled and the bandits fled without obtaining anything.

All of those injured by the hold-up men were treated at the Receiving Hospital.

HOME OF FURNITURE MAN ROBBED AT NIGHT

Burglars forcing their way through a rear window late Saturday night broke into the home of D. A. Esper, furniture manufacturer of 2039 Victoria avenue, and obtained approximately $3500 worth of jewelry, clothes and furs, according to a report turned in at the detective bureau.

Tiny Airplanes Cleave Ether in Capers

Plain and fancy models of airplanes were in evidence when the newly formed Southern California Model Airplane Builders' Club held its first monthly aviation meet Saturday at the Glendale Airport. More than 300 members are enrolled in the organization, according to William E. Bodenlos, its organizer.

Comprised largely of boys and young men, the model airplane club possesses an array of "Jennys," "D-H" and "SE-5" planes together with a sprinkling of seaplanes and cabin cruisers and not a few original designs.

The models are faithful reproductions of full-grown airplanes except that their motive power is furnished by knotted rubber bands.

Flattering

Anxious Bride (as young husband appears on the piazza:) Oh, darling, I'm so glad you've come. We heard that some idiot had fallen over the cliff and I felt sure it was you. — [Edinburgh Scotsman.

Forgery Hearing for Two Women to Close Today

The preliminary hearing of Kate Hutchinson, veteran county employee, and Mrs. Irene Flemming, on charges of forgery is scheduled to be finished before Justice Forbes today. The session is continued from a week ago because several witnesses were not present at the time.

According to the testimony of Frank Turner, building contractor, the two women hired him to do some work on buildings they owned. His work extended over a period of six months, he stated, and at the end of that time when he asked for an accounting, the two women produced receipts bearing his signature for the full amount.

Turner protested the signature was a forgery and sued in civil court. He lost the case but later made a criminal complaint. Handwriting experts will be called today to examine the signature.

ASSESSMENT MAP ADOPTED

The corrected assessment district map for the improvement of Occidental Boulevard between Sunset Boulevard and Temple street has been adopted by the City Council.

Paris recently held a parade to celebrate the birthday of the invention of the candle.

At RALPHS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

WALNUTS Large 35c | Fancy Med. Budded— Per lb. 27c | **FOR CHRISTMAS** No. 1 Size Cal. Walnuts, Per lb. 20c

OTHER CHRISTMAS NUTS

ALMONDS— 38c | FANCY FILBERTS— Per lb. 28c | MIXED NUTS— Per lb. 33c
BRAZILS— 30c | ROASTED PEANUTS— Per lb. 16c | PECANS—JUMBO— Per lb. 32c

CRANBERRIES EAT MOR CAPE COD PER LB. 18c

FANCY NORTHERN CELERY PER BUNCH 10c

Genuine Gillette Razors REGULAR $1.00 VALUE 49c
Suitable for a Christmas Present
Limit one razor to a customer—WHILE THEY LAST

EXTRA SPECIAL
SUNBEAM BRAND BROKEN MIXED HARD CANDY— PER LB. 15c
Also packed in 40-lb. tins. Charge is made for tins which is credited when tin is returned.

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85c | 3-LB. BOX $1.70 | 5-LB. BOX $2.53 | 10-LB. BOX $4.22
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TURKEYS, CHICKENS, DUCKS, AND GEESE
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Fancy Arkansas, Nancy Hall, 25c | Fancy, Size 176, Navel ORANGES, Per doz. 30c | Barbara Worth, Imperial GRAPE FRUIT, 5 for 25c
Also a few of extra fancy Jonathan, Spitzenberg, Delicious, Pearmain and Rome Beauty APPLES for the Christmas table. Red Onions and Chestnuts for the Turkey stuffing.

Full Line of Christmas Trees at "Sells for Less" Prices

Seedless 11c | Fancy Cluster Raisins— 15-oz. package 13c | Del Monte Mammoth Green Asparagus Tips No. 1 (1-lb.) can 32c
Puffed Raisins— package 12 | Limit 2 pkgs. to a customer. Del Monte Pumpkin No. 2½ (1-lb. 12-oz.) can 15c | Del Monte Mammoth White Asparagus Tips No. 1 (1-lb.) can 33c

WHAT COULD MAKE A NICER CHRISTMAS GIFT THAN AN AUTO TIRE

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Santa's able assistant— your neighborhood Safeway Store!

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Clams, *Hemrick's* . . . 22½c
Caviar, *Russian* 50c; 85c
Crabmeat, *Blue Flag* 33c; 60c
Lobster, *Red Jacket* . 28c
Oysters . . . 20c; 30c
Shrimp, *Dunbar's* . . . 16c
Tuna, *S. S.* . . . 25c; 48c

Snider's Cocktail Sauce, 23c and 33c
Gold Medal Mayonnaise, 12c; 28c; 45c
Thousand Island Dressing, 12c, 28c, 45c
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Lusk's Fruit Salad, sm. tin, 15c
Libby's Fruit Salad, 27c, 33c
Maraschino Cherries, for garnishing fruit salads, fruit cocktails, desserts, 12½c and 22c

—a very special price; high grade Brazils, Walnuts, Filberts, Pecans, Almonds;

Mixed Nuts . 2 lbs. for 55c

Fancy Calif. Budded Walnuts, 10-lb. bag 4.00 —new crop; fresh; *desirable.*

Almonds, extra good, the lb. 38c
Walnuts, large, budded, the lb. 40c
Walnuts, No. 1, Soft Shell, lb. 33c
Diamond Walnut, pcs. 8 oz. 50c

Kernel Walnut Meats, 8 oz. 40c
Funsten Pecans, in tin 8 oz. 76c
McFarlane Salted Almonds, 48c
Funsten's Black Walnut, 5 oz. 48c

Beverages for the Holiday Season

Ben Hur Coffee, the lb. 57c
Maxwell House, the lb. 56c
S. S. High Grade, the lb. 45c
G. Washington, 42c; 85c
Tea, S. S. Ceylon, 10c; 42c
Tea, Lipton's, 24c and 46c

Tao Tea Balls, 25c; 45c
Japan, No. 3 tea, the lb. 45c
Canada Dry Ginger Ale 25c
Porto, . . . 35c
White Rock, 15c and 22c
Budweiser, . . . 18c

Cider, 32 oz. bottle, 28c
Cider, the gallon bottle, 89c
Grape Juice, S. S. Concord Pts., 30c; Qts., 55c
East Side Zest, Pts., 10c; Qts., 18c

—a superior satin finish hard candy.

Christmas Mix the lb. **15c**

Sheba Chocolates—hand made—hand dipped—the lb. 35c; *special*, 5 lbs. for 1.47
Mellow-Ruff Chocolates —attractively boxed: —the pound 43c
Buster Mints —splendid mints, in attractive metal boxes; ½ lb. 21c; 1 lb. 38c
Cream Mix Candy —smooth —assorted flavors the pound 22c
Jolly Time Popcorn —the 10 oz. pkg. 12½c; in bulk, the lb. 11c

Toy Brooms —well made—sturdy—*special*, **19c**

Market Day 4 lbs. **Raisins** *special* **33c**

Sunmaid Seedless Raisins, 15 oz. pkg. 12c; Sunmaid Puffed or Seeded Raisins 15 oz. 12c
Peter Pan Raisins . . . 15 oz. pkg. 10c
Calimyra Figs . . . the pkg. 15c
Sungrown Pitted Dates . . . pkg. 22c
Dromedary Dates . . . the pkg. 22c
Sugared Dates . . . the lb. 20c
Libby's Pumpkin 14c, 17½c
Alber's Jumbo Olives . . . 36c, 65c

Libby's Mince Meat . . No. 2 tin, 35c
Heinz Mince Meat 28c, 48c
Heinz Mince Meat . . 2 lbs., glass, 68c
Heinz Fig or Plum Pudding . 42c, 75c
Tea Garden Cranberries, in glass . . 35c
Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce, in tin, 19c
Dromedary Cocoanut . . . 15c, 30c

Glace Fruit 1 lb. box **85c** | **Olives, 6** pint tins **85c**

Gloria Peaches, No. 2½ tin, 27½c
Oak Glen Pears 20c, 35c
Crushed Pineapple . . 12½c, 20c
Sliced Pineapple . . 15c, 22c, 25c
Mixpah Maine Corn, No. 2 tin, 16c

Oak Glen Corn . No. 2 tin, 17½c
Nucoa . 38c Wilso . 32c
Kraft Cheese . the pkg. 25c and 30c
Safeway Asparagus—natural . 30c
S. S. Asparagus Tips, No. 1 tin 3 for $1.

Highway Peas . . No. 2 tin, 15c
S. S. Peas, No. 2 tin, *excellent*, 20c
Oak Glen Peas, *extra*, No. 2 tin, 25c
Mushrooms, import., 3 oz, 2 tins 75c
Greenhill Mushrooms, 3 oz. tin 60c

Oak Glen Butter the *satisfactory* butter

SAFEWAY STORES CALIFORNIA'S LEADING GROCER

Fresh Eggs
Storage Eggs

Dec. 21-24

Are your gift plans all made?

Sure you haven't overlooked some relative, friend, neighbor whose day might be made happier through the medium of some little token of your thoughtfulness?

In this large community—there must be many whose Christmas day will not be particularly joyous; gentle folk, poor in purse,—rich in pride. You may know of some—that you will be sorry to have overlooked.

And now comes preparations for the big Christmas dinner; there must be the—salted almonds; crabmeat or lobster or clam cocktail; The jelly, the pickles, the cranberry sauce, with which to do justice to the turkey; —the peas, and corn, and celery; the salad, the beverages; the dessert; the candy;—your every need in these many fixins'—at your neighborhood Safeway.

Don't forget the floor wax, both before and after dancing. Johnson's Floor wax, 65c. Old English Floorwax 65c.

Libby's very splendid Plum Pudding—at the *special* price for the large tin—of 3 for 1.00 is *worth your attention.*

"Best Foods" Shortning—produced by the makers of Gold Medal Mayonnaise and Nucoa—is offered as something *decidedly* superior. They say "Be prepared to change all your ideas about shortening." Recommended for delicious Cake Icings and Fillings and luscious Candies as well as the usual uses for shortenings.

—the 1 lb. tin 30c
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NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES

ORANGES BRING GOOD RETURNS

Anaheim Fruit Averages $3.49 a Box

Most of Crop Held Until After Holidays

Real Activity to Commence in Thirty Days

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

ANAHEIM, Dec. 20.—Prices on California navel oranges, now on the eastern market are continuing strong, it is reported here by various packing-house managers. Returns on supplies of this fruit, shipped from the Southern California navel belt, are averaging approximately $3.49 a box.

For some time the Tulare district was the only navel belt in California represented on the early eastern markets, but recently shipping of the winter fruit has commenced in the Redlands-Riverside area. About seventy-five cars remain for shipment in the latter section, distributors report.

With the exception of six cars, shipped for the Christmas trade, in the Northern Orange county no navel shipping has been done district and none is expected to be done until after the first of the year, distributors here declare.

With the navel season expected to open in the Anaheim section within the next thirty days, distributors are keeping careful check on the ripening of the fruit.

Samples from groves of thirty members of the Anaheim Citrus Fruit Association, located in representative sections of the district, have been taken by officials of the association and careful tests for sugar content made, W. R. Schureman, manager of the house, asserted.

According to present indications, as shown by the tests, Schureman said, the navel crop in this district, is ripening satisfactorily, but it cannot be expected to be ready in quantities sufficient for commercial handling until well after the first of January.

MOISTURE SURVEY

Experts to Make Report of River-Side District

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 20. —A soil moisture survey in groves of the Riverside district will be inaugurated soon by the citrus committee of the Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the University of California Agricultural Extension Service, if plans made at the committee meeting today materialize.

Importance to growers of obtaining the maximum benefit from their irrigation water was emphasized at the session. The character of the soil in the various groves of the vicinity differs to a marked degree, and consequently water requirements vary, it was pointed out.

Due to the absorbent qualities of certain types of soil some groves are receiving more moisture than is necessary, with the result that water is wasted and the growth of the trees is retarded.

Myron M. Winslow, County Farm Adviser, said the support of the agricultural extension service is almost certain in the project, and Victor Carroll of the citrus committee, was appointed by D. S. Bell, chairman, to assist the farm adviser in work preliminary to the survey.

PLAN ILLUMINATION OF MILE OF TREES

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—Five hundred more lights than ever before will twinkle this Christmas on the famous "Mile of Christmas Trees," the great deodars which line Santa Rosa avenue in Altadena. The Municipal Light and Power Department has begun the task of stringing the lights on the trees, after the custom which has prevailed for the last four years.

The avenue of lighted trees, which annually attracts thousands of visitors, will remain illuminated from Christmas Eve to January 2. The Pasadena Kiwanis Club is in charge of the arrangements, while the Southern California Edison Company, as in the past, will co-operate by donating the electric power.

AGED WOMAN MAKES LONG TRIP ALONE

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Dec. 20. After traveling alone from Bantry, N. D., Mrs. Sarah Garnant, aged 90 years, has reached Huntington Park safely, and is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Reed of South Seville street, to spend the winter.

Mrs. Garnant, notwithstanding she has seen four-score and ten years of life, has a keen memory and good health and attributes all this to the enthusiasm she has for everything, and people in particular and to never let anything worry her.

TEST TRAFFIC SIGNALS

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—Automatic traffic signals are being tested at two important downtown corners in Pasadena and will probably be installed permanently in various parts of the city, if the trial proves that the signals are a more efficient system of traffic regulation than the previous method of direction by policemen. The tests are being made at the instigation of City Director Carl F. Newcomer.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—Hundreds of city employees will gather at the Pasadena High School auditorium tomorrow night for the annual Christmas party to be given by the Municipal Employee's Benefit and Improvement Association. Fire Chief Ernest F. Coop, president of the association, is in charge of the program.

CHILDREN TO SING OLD SONGS

Chorus of Youthful Voices to Carry Christmas Cheer to Hospital

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

GLENDALE, Dec. 15.—The Glendale Children's Chorus, composed of 200 of the best voices from the elementary and grade schools of the city, will visit all the local hospitals on Christmas Eve and will sing the old Christmas carols to the patients who are shut up in these institutions and who are unable to get out and mingle with the other residents of the city in the holiday season. After the trip around the hospitals the children will take part in the ceremonies that will be held at the Christmas tree on the lawn at Harvard High School, when gifts will be brought and piled around the foot of the tree for the boys and girls of needy families who would otherwise miss the visit of Santa Claus. J. Arthur Myers, director of the Glendale Symphony Orchestra, is conducting the rehearsals of the children's chorus, and so well have the children progressed in their musical education that he has arranged to take a number of the best singers and broadcast a Christmas program on the afternoon of the 25th inst.

Rush Work to Keep Up City Water Supply

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 20.—The City Council and Fred Rhodes, City Manager, are united in the belief that there must be no more delay in the development of additional water for San Diego, some real activity in that direction is expected within the next few days. As there is little hope of starting work at El Capitan dam site for an indefinite period, it is expected that the city officials will move to arrange preliminary plans for the construction of a dam at Sutherland on the recently acquired San Dieguito water system.

Rhodes announced yesterday that the new El Capitan pipe-line survey had been completed; that rights of way had been procured and that by February 1 he would be able to advertise for bids on the construction work. Although this will provide San Diego with a new duplicate pipe line for its water resources, the line will not be used until the litigation over the San Diego River waters is settled, unless a dam is built at Sutherland and connected up with a pipe line.

The river litigation may continue for years, the City Manager points out, but the Sutherland dam can be built in 1926 if the Council will call a bond election for the project at once. In this manner an adequate supply of water can be procured for the city while the litigation is in progress.

IT'S A SMALL WORLD

Brothers Long Separated Meet in Bay City

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 20.—"The world may be a large place, but eventually they all get to California." So says W. C. McConnell, real estate man of Ocean Park and Compton, and by way of proving it he produces real evidence in the person of his brother, V. L. McConnell, formerly of Dallas, Tex., and other points. And now for the denouement:

While walking down Third street in Santa Monica W. C. McConnell was tapped on the shoulder by some one who approached out of the throng of Christmas shoppers on the sidewalk. W. C. McConnell stopped, looked—but he required no listening. He recognized his brother, V. L., whom he had not seen for twenty years, when they were in the show business together. Up to a few years ago, W. C. McConnell conducted the Dome Theater in Ocean Park.

And the climax is that W. C. immediately sold V. L. a home in Canterbury Park, Compton, and took him into the real estate business with him here, thus rescuing him from Texas. Could there be a more touching reunion than that?

HIGHWAY CONTRACT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 20.—Fred W. Nighbert, 10 H street, Bakersfield, paving contractor, was awarded a $55,860 contract for making surface highway line changes between Bakersfield and Los Angeles by the State Highway Commission, in session at San Francisco.

Nighbert submitted his bid of $55,860 to the Highway Commission on November 30. The bid was $18,802.40 lower than the next higher bidder of $74,362.40, submitted by A. R. McGrath of Glendale.

TO COLLECT JUDGMENT

Santa Barbara Woman Brings Suit Alleging Transfer of Property Was Fraudulent

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 20.—Accusing the C. H. and O. B. Fuller Company, large landholders of Santa Barbara county, with intent to defraud judgment debtors, Edna Merritt Coane has renewed her efforts to recover damages from the Fuller Company by filing a complaint in the nature of a creditors' bill of equity against the Jalama Ranch and Cattle Company, the Fuller Company and the First National and Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Coane as Edna Merritt secured judgment of $7700 for wages against the Fuller company on March 20, 1924, and after unsuccessful efforts, an execution issued by Superior Judge S. E. Crow was returned unsatisfied. Mr. Coane on October 30, this year, filed an affidavit that the Jalama company held property of the defendant, and C. H. Sholes of Los Angeles was appointed by Judge Crow as referee in the case.

Referee Sholes's report showed that the Jalama company held no property of the Fuller company and that the defendant had no property subject to execution.

Since the Fuller company became wholly insolvent and still is in this condition, Mrs. Coane alleges in her complaint. For the purpose of fraudulently recovering this property the Jalama company was organized, and the Fuller company "pretended secretly to sell all its equity in the land to the Jalama company," the complaint asserts. The only consideration involved was the transfer of 5276 shares of stock with a par value of $527,600, it is alleged.

Mrs. Coane asks that the conveyance of the lands to the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank in trust for the First National Bank of Los Angeles be decreed fraudulent and void and that the sale of certain personal property to be declared fraudulent and void, and that a receiver be appointed and directed to sell such property as is necessary to satisfy her judgment.

See Compromise in Selection of School Site

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

BREA, Dec. 20.—Reports that delay in the selection of a high school site was being caused by the failure of the Brea-Olinda Union High School board of trustees to agree on a location were denied today by members of the board, who point out that no action can be officially taken on the matter until the money from the sale of the $325,000 bond issue is actually in the hands of the County Treasurer and a special meeting for the purpose of deciding on the site has been called by the Superintendent of Schools.

While a majority of the members of the board have been reported as favoring a school site between Brea and Olinda, a recent post card referendum is said to show a decided preference for the old aviation site on Pomona avenue, approximately half a mile from the Fullerton city limits.

According to W. D. Shaffer, member of the high school board, a compromise site is now being considered, which is said to be more satisfactory than either of these two to the heaviest taxpayers of the district. This is the Hamilton tract between Cedar and Dale streets and two blocks from Pomona avenue.

Failure of the trustees to agree at the special meeting to be called by County Superintendent of Schools Mitchell, for the selection of a site, will result in the necessity, according to school law, of resorting to an election, and it is to avoid the delay and expense of this procedure that the compromise site is being proposed.

FINISH LABORATORY

Institution at Linda Vista to be Ready April 1

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—The new and elaborately equipped seismological laboratory now being constructed by the California Institute of Technology and the Carnegie Institution of Washington in Linda Vista is expected to be completed by April 1, next, according to Arthur H. Fleming, chairman of the board of trustees of the institute.

The laboratory, which is planned to be the equal of any similar building in the country in modernity and completeness of equipment, will cost approximately $75,000, exclusive of the many delicate instruments which will be installed.

Instruments for detecting the slightest earth tremors are now being manufactured in the East under the direction of the Carnegie Institution. Eight blocks on which instruments will be mounted have been constructed on the ground floor of the structure. Other instruments to be installed include a complete photographic system.

EXPERT ROBBER AT WORK IN ONTARIO

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ONTARIO, Dec. 20.—Believed to have been the work of a burglar who specializes in that particular line, the dental offices of Dr. P. L. Rasmussen, 205 California Theater Building, were robbed early today of gold and bridge work valued at between $1500 and $2000. Dr. Rasmussen left his office late last night and discovered the burglary when he visited his place of business this afternoon. Entrance was gained with a passkey.

According to Dr. Rasmussen, only a man familiar with dentistry could have been responsible for the job. According to the police, city and State authorities have been endeavoring for years to nab a burglar who about fourteen months "works" the Coast, specializing in dentists' offices and usually working on Saturday nights or Sunday mornings.

SMALL DELINQUENCY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

HANFORD, Dec. 20.—The delinquency in tax payment, which usually runs low in this small but rich agricultural county of Kings was smaller this year, even, than last. This year delinquencies total $26,687.09, against $27,872.78 in 1924.

PREPARE FOR TOURNAMENT

Pasadena Annual Floral Parade to Be Most Beautiful in History

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—With valuable prizes offered in all classes of competition and the entry list in the thirty-seventh annual Tournament of Roses growing daily, indications point to this winter's floral pageant being the largest in the annals of Pasadena's famous New Year's Day celebration.

There will be nineteen separate classes of float entries in the parade this year. The civic division has been divided into three sections, one for cities, excepting Pasadena, having a population of more than 40,000; another for cities between 20,000 and 40,000, and the third for cities having a population of less than 20,000.

In addition to the civic floats, hotels, service clubs, schools, churches, fraternal organizations, American Legion posts and many business concerns will be represented this year, as before.

The scores of prizes, three in each of the nineteen classes, will be awarded by the Tournament of Roses Association, and by a large number of Los Angeles and Pasadena commercial and industrial organizations.

A grand sweepstakes cup, presented by the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce and Civic Association, will go to the single float, regardless of class, which, in the opinion of the judges, ranks first in beauty and originality.

HEAVY FRUIT SHIPMENT

Redlands District Gets in On Christmas Trade

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

REDLANDS, Dec. 20.—The last of the Redlands oranges to fill up the toes in the stockings of little ones in the Middle West and East are now rolling over the rails of the transcontinental lines. The past week saw the last of the shipments, these to Denver and the Pacific Northwest with a few to the Middle West for last-minute selling.

Despite the fact that there were extremely heavy shipments from the navel district for the holiday trade the price has continued to be steady and in return for their contribution to Santa Claus, the orange growers here will receive one in the shape of handsome checks. They are certain of more than 2 cents per pound for all the fruit shipped.

A check today shows that about 300 cars were shipped from the Redlands district and each car represents at least 400 boxes of fruit and each box will sell in the East for approximately $5, so that it is quite a contribution. Now that the shipments for the Christmas season are over, there will be a lull and heavy shipments will begin again in January. Growers are watching every night now to see that Jack Frost does not come when he is not wanted, heaters are all ready, filled with oil and an army of workers ready to take the field and beat all outdoors if he comes with his army.

FAREWELL SERVICE

Congregation at Pasadena Pays Tribute to Pastor

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—The last church service of Dr. Merle N. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church here, before leaving on a world missionary tour, was the occasion of a large demonstration of affection, regret and loyalty by members of the church tonight.

Speakers representing various organizations in the church told the pastor in brief speeches of their regard for him and expressed good wishes for the success of his trip. Following the musical program, Dr. Smith responded with a message of gratitude, and sketched his plans briefly.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith and a party of eight members of the church will sail for the Orient from San Francisco, on the 26th inst.

IS COMMANDER OF ONTARIO LEGION

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ONTARIO, Dec. 20.—H. J. Clewett will serve as commander of A Podrasnik Camp, Son's of Veteran's during the ensuing year, it was announced today following the annual election at the W. O. W. Hall. Others elected were A. Schroder, senior vice-commander; F. M. Watenpaugh, junior vice-commander; Frank Ward, Howard Graves and Charles O. Rankin, camp council; W. A. Ketty, secretary-treasurer; the Rev. John B. Toomay, chaplain; Carl Graves, Guide; E. A. Delane, Color Bearer; D. J. Bustingame, inner guard, and Paul Bodenhamer, outer guard.

TALK MERGER OF CIVIC BOOSTERS

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 20.—Committees appointed by the Greater Santa Monica Club and the Santa Monica-Ocean Park Chamber of Commerce will meet in conference here during the week to discuss the proposal to unite the two bodies. Representing the Greater Santa Monica Club are T. A. Johnson, chairman; W. W. Bennett, Charles E. Hewes and Fred Gibbs, the club's president. On the chamber committee are Herman Michel, president, H. E. Hudson, George A. Nellson and S. L. Berkley. These committees will discuss the proposed merger from all angles and report back to their respective organizations.

CHURCH BEGINS FREE OF DEBT

More Than $42,000 Raised at Van Nuys Dedication

Mayor Cryer is Speaker at One of Services

New Edifice is Regarded as Most Handsome in Valley

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 20.—More than 1500 persons yesterday took part in the three services of the dedication exercises of the new $55,000 Van Nuys Central Christian Church. Mayor George E. Cryer of Los Angeles being one of the principal speakers at the large gathering in the church in the evening.

The main exercises began at 10:30 a.m. and was in charge of Rev. George L. Snively of Illinois, who had been brought to Van Nuys to conduct all services, by Rev. S. M. Bernard, pastor of the church.

Following a song service and a sermon by Dr. Snively, which he had adapted to the occasion, he announced the cost of the church, adding that, according to custom, the church could not be dedicated until it was free of debt. It was then stated that a deficit of $42,000 still remained, and pledges, checks and cash donations were asked for.

Notwithstanding that of the 800 persons in the church during this service, half of them were members of other Van Nuys church denominations, for an hour and a half a shower of pledges and money fell into Dr. Snively's hands. Before the service ended it was announced that $38,927.55 of the $42 000 deficit had been subscribed.

The service then adjourned, and the large audience went to the basement dining-room of the church for dinner. About 600 or more persons were fed.

A fellowship meeting later took place at 2 p.m. and lasted for two hours.

The evening service in which Mayor Cryer spoke began at 7:30 p.m., with between 600 and 700 persons present, many of them being members of other Van Nuys Protestant church congregations. Soon after this service began, more pledges and cash were received by Dr. Snively from the pulpit platform, followed by the announcement that the new church was now entirely free of debt, the $42,000 having been oversubscribed by members and other leading citizens of the town.

Short addresses next followed by Charles C. Chapman of Fullerton, prominent Christian Church layman; Mr. Bernard, J. P. Ingalls, principal of the Van Nuys High School; George W. Bunton, former secretary of the Van Nuys Chamber of Commerce, and others.

The new edifice in its now completed form is one of the most handsome structures of its kind in San Fernando Valley. It is of mission style, with tile roof and is surmounted by a tower. There are twenty-four rooms in the structure, the main auditorium having a seating capacity of 450. The basement in the church runs the entire length of the building, and has a seating capacity of more than 1000.

Among principal donors to the church are W. P. Whitsett, president of the Bank of Van Nuys, and Mrs. Whitsett. Some time ago Mr. and Mrs. Whitsett gave two downtown lots to the congregation. Last week these lots were sold for $10,000 to the Los Angeles Public Library Board, the 100-foot frontage site to be used soon for the erection of the new public library building in Van Nuys.

Yesterday a huge bell weighing a quarter of a ton was hoisted to the church tower. This was a personal gift from Pastor Bernard to the church. The bell was cast in 1887. It was brought to Los Angeles about forty years ago and used in one of the early city schools. When the school was razed and the bell discarded it was stored by the school board until bought by Mr. Bernard.

LEGION CONFERENCE

Seventy-five Posts to Take Part in Pasadena Meeting

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—Five hundred members of the American Legion, representing seventy-five posts, will gather in Pasadena on January 17 for a district conference of the Legion, at which State Commander Allen B. Bixby will preside. The meeting will be held in the local post's newly erected memorial building on Marengo avenue.

Topics such as community service, Veterans' Bureau and welfare cases, organization policies and finance, in addition to plans for increasing the American Legion membership in the State, will be considered at the conference.

The Pasadena convention will follow the dedication of Wrigley Park, Los Angeles, to World War Veterans, which is scheduled for the afternoon of January 16.

TO TEACH NIGHT SCHOOL

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Dec. 20. M. A. Naylor has been appointed assistant night school principal at the Huntington Park Union High School. Charles L. Johns, who is vice-presipal of the school, has also been appointed head of the evening classes. The classes in the night schol, except those being taken for credits, will come to a close the first of March, it has been decided by the school board.

SEEKS LOST DAUGHTER

HANFORD, Dec. 20. — Who knows the whereabouts of Mrs. Bessie Miles? County Tax Collector E. N. Houston has received a letter from Frank Parish, 76 North Fair Oaks, Pasadena, asking such information. Mr. Parish states that he is from Northern Texas, that Mrs. Miles is his daughter, whom he has not seen for fifteen years and who, he thinks, is residing somewhere in the San Joaquin Valley.

ANNOUNCE SHOW DATE

Anaheim's Annual Classic Scheduled for Nine Days, From May 14 to 23

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

ANAHEIM, Dec. 20.—No efforts will be spared to make the 1926 California Valencia Orange Show bigger and better than any of its predecessors, said George W. Reid, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and manager of the show, in announcing the dates for the next annual orange exhibition to be held in Anaheim.

May 14 to 23, inclusive, are the dates selected for holding the gala affair. Tentative committee lists are being prepared with particular attention being paid to the personnel of the committee on entertainment, said Reid, adding that this was one feature of the show to which there is considerable preliminary work attached.

Instituting a suitable motif for the decoration scheme, Manager Reid has called artists into consultation and several tentative designs have been roughly sketched.

As in previous years, the principal feature of the show will be the display of Valencia oranges, which will head the position of honor under the main tent. The auto and industrial features of the show having grown to such proportions as to rival the feature exhibit, will be housed under separate tents, according to the tentative plans of the show management.

While all of the proposed plans are only tentative, it is believed the customary amusement zone will again take its place in the program of attraction, with a special effort to secure high class novelty features for this department being made by the committee in charge.

Will Make Fruit Trees Grow on Garden Fences

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

OWENSMOUTH, Dec. 20.—On the five-acre tract at Roscoe street and Winnetka avenue, which has been deeded to the city of Los Angeles, a series of new school buildings have just been completed, and school will be opened the first of the year.

The new structures are models in schoolhouse construction and with every up-to-date equipment. One of the buildings is a large auditorium equipped with a stage. For the present this auditorium will be used by literary clubs, for music events and for lectures on poultry and intensive farming.

Plans are now under way for a large civic center with modern club conveniences. One acre of the five acres in the school grounds will be made into an intensive garden. Here the training of fruit trees and grape vines to grow on wire fences will be demonstrated.

Pepper trees will be planted along all streets surrounding the school grounds. The whole plan is to make the school site one of the show places in this part of San Fernando Valley.

THIRD ELECTION ON BOND PROPOSITION

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

EL MONTE, Dec. 20.—For the third time in the past few months the board of trustees of the El Monte grammar school district have voted to call a bond election to vote on the proposition of expending $75,000 on additions to the Columbia school. The present election is called for January 19. The other two attempts at providing for bond issues failed because of a negative vote.

The board of trustees assert that the failure of the other two issues to carry was due to a lack of understanding on the part of the citizens of the urgent need of the district. They point out the dire need of more room in the present plant, which is weekly augmented by a continual increase in enrollment. Half-day sessions for the lower grades, necessitating young children to be at school before 8 o'clock in the morning is far from desirable, they state. Opponents of the issue express a lack of confidence in the ability of the present board to economically handle the expending of more school funds at the present time.

MASONIC LODGES IN DOUBLE INSTALLATION

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ALHAMBRA, Dec. 20.—At a joint installation the new officers of Alhambra Lodge, No. 322, and Granada Lodge, No. 608, F. & A. M., were inducted into office, in the presence of a gathering of Masons and their families which filled Masonic Hall. The installation was in charge of Wilbert J. Stewart, Past Master Forest V. Routt of Alhambra Lodge acted as master of ceremonies and Past Master B. A. Tucker of Granada Lodge was in charge of the presentations.

Charles B. Netterberg is the new Master of the Alhambra lodge and J. Don Smith holds a similar office in Granada Lodge. One of the features of last night's installation was the presentation to Mr. Routt of a Masonic ring and to Mr. Tucker of a radio set. Entertainment numbers and dancing were on the program.

IS PRESIDENT OF FLORAL SOCIETY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ONTARIO, Dec. 20.—Thomas W. Angle will again head the Hot-Point Floral Society as its president during the coming year. It was announced today following the annual meeting of the organization at the Hot-Point Club. Others elected were Mrs. Charles E. Mead, vice-president; H. E. Willoms, secretary; Miss Katherine Staude, treasurer; W. H. Tangeman, chairman Instruction Committee; Frank Hunt, chairman Premium Committee, and V. S. Morgan, chairman Finance Committee. The society recently staged its second annual flower show with notable success and during the past year sponsored a home gardens beautiful contest which brought splendid results.

YOUTH KILLED FIXING AUTO

Piece of Steel Revolving on Jacked-up Wheels Pierces Brain

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

GLENDALE, Dec. 20.—Walter Tuttle, 15 years of age, died at the Glendale Research Hospital today from injuries suffered Friday while he was repairing an automobile.

Young Tuttle had the rear wheels of the car jacked up, with the engine running. When he got under the car a loose piece of steel attached to a rear wheel, revolving rapidly, struck him five times on the head, penetrating the brain.

TEACHER HONORED

Pasadena Man Given Chair In Harvard Faculty

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

CLAREMONT, Dec. 20. — Announcement has been received at Pomona College that Prof. William Bennett Munro, a resident of Pasadena and a member of the Board of Fellows of Claremont Colleges, has been appointed the first occupant of a new professorship established at Harvard University and known as the Jonathan Trumbull Professorship of American History and Government, in memory of Jonathan Trumbull, Governor of Connecticut during the Revolutionary War. Trumbull was a graduate of Harvard University in the class of 1727.

Prof. Munro, the first incumbent of the chair, received a doctor's degree at Harvard in 1900 and has been a member of the faculty since 1904. During the past thirteen years he has been professor of municipal government. He is also vice-president of the National Municipal League. He was appointed a member of the Claremont Colleges Board of Fellows last October. He spends part of each year at his home in Pasadena and the remainder of the year at Harvard University.

TO STOP THIEVING

Fruit Growers Report Losses To Authorities

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

REDLANDS, Dec. 20.—Stealing of fruit from the orange groves has reached such proportions that the police of this city and the county officers are planning a regular patrol in an effort to apprehend the culprits.

The latest depredation, stealing of 100 boxes of fine navels from the Buck Hamon grove in the Bryn Mawr section, has convinced the authorities that the thieves are fell organized and intend to steal fruit on a large scale. The fruit stolen was worth about $400. Thefts up to this time have, all been small ones, thefts of from fifteen to twenty boxes.

So far as the officers can learn the thieves are keeping a close watch of all groves. If for some reason a number of boxes of oranges are picked and cannot be carted to the packing house, in the future the officers will help to keep a watch on them, for it is such fruit that is taken by the fruit thieves. So far as can be learned no fruit has yet been stolen from the trees.

BUILDING SLOWS UP DURING HOLIDAYS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 20.—Another let-down in building activities in Bakersfield is seen in thirty-six permits issued during the past six days from the office of the city building inspector carrying a value of but $15,821, last Saturday's figures showing a week's total of $18,735 for twenty-five permits granted.

Structural building permits took a spectacular plunge from a total of $15,970, last week's total, to a present valuation of $11,285 for the current week. A coincidence in the last three weeks of structural building activities is seen in that exactly thirteen permits were granted each week.

ELECT NOTED GARDENER

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—William T. Shield, well-known horticulturist who was formerly superintendent of the famous Thomas Lawson Gardens in Boston, was re-elected president of the Pasadena Horticultural Society yesterday. James Mansul, vice-president; L. M. Kohler, treasurer; Roy S. Walker, secretary; J. C. Murdock, financial secretary, and Louis Fried, sergeant-at-arms, were the other officers chosen.

HOTEL OPENING

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 20.—Expecting the largest and most successful season in its history, the Hotel Raymond, for more than a score of years one of this city's famous hostelries, will be formally opened for the winter season next Saturday night, at a dinner and dance. During the summer much of the hotel has been redecorated and many innovations for the entertainment and comfort of guests are being installed.

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REMEMBER VETS

Hanford Women Host ... Hospital

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PLAYDOM

"KIKI"

CHARLOTTE TREADWAY WINS STELLAR TRIUMPH

By Edwin Schallert

Charlotte Treadway has won her full share of laurels at last. Her portrayal of the title role in "Kiki" is one that will bring delight to those who see the production of this Belasco play, made famous by Lenore Ulric, at the Morosco Theater. It is a feat of courage and ability that really merits the adjective remarkable, and those who have been watching Miss Treadway's progress during the past several seasons will see a splendid fulfillment of her promise in this attraction.

Of course, "Kiki" is "Kiki." It is a play made to order for a star—it might be said, one star only. It is, in fact, hardly a play—simply a characterization, and it is one of the most exacting and baffling sorts of characterization for any but the actress for whom it was written—or rather adapted from the French of Andre Picard.

It is the story of a little gamin of Paris—a type that is half real, half a figment of the imagination. It is racy, spicy and risque. It is charming and gay, with a set of morals—or unmorals, if you like—all its own. It propounds an intangible humanness—an effervescence light as air, and in its way far more intoxicating. And though the play is a trifle in its significance and meaning, it has an esprit, that, despite its naughtiness and utter disregard for convention, in many respects captivating.

The performance by the Morosco company has not caught all of the play's meaning by any means as yet. More of lightness is needed throughout the interpretations. The somewhat too heavy quality of many of the scenes, the fact that they do not skim as they should over the thin ice of recklessness, makes for an emphasis on the sordid at times rather than the more ingratiating characteristics of "Kiki." The production as a whole needs more speed.

At the same time, it is one of the most noteworthy offerings presented by the company, and one that will gain increasing zest as it goes along.

Miss Treadway's trouping in her role is amazing. It is in many ways the best evidence of her capability. Her tussles with Brule, the stage doorman, and with Adolphe, Renal's servant, brought down the house. The cataleptic scene where she has to remain as rigid as a statue for the better part of an act was an achievement that was startling to the extent of even bringing "ohs" and "ahs" from the audience.

What her portrayal lacks is the more delicate high lights. Some of it goes almost to the extremes of burlesque, rather than adhering to that narrowly separated realm of an eccentric characterization. A first performance is hardly a fair test in so difficult a role as this, and I imagine that as the tempo of the production improves her own portrayal will acquire more of needed lightness.

At that, it is a splendid, painstaking and truly compelling victory for her, won against the handicap that must naturally arise when a characterization has already gained immense celebrity through the personality and ability of another actress.

If Miss Treadway has a chance equivalent to this in a new play there is no predicting what she might accomplish with it. The applause that was hers after the final act was proof of the genuineness of the audience's approval both for her fine sportsmanship in undertaking so exacting a role, and the excellence with which she acquitted herself.

A very human set of portrayals were given by the other principals—that of Gavin Gordon being especially well done, even though he shared too youthful for the part of the theater manager.

J. Morris Foster was capital as Adolphe. Glenda Farrell played Paulette somewhat too negatively, even though she kept more of the French atmosphere in her character than the majority of the others. Richard La Salle and Joseph Eggenton were very satisfactory.

The play as a whole needs more of true Parisienne atmosphere, but it is, in any case, a credit to the resources of the Morosco company.

BARTHELMESS IN ROUTINE "MELO"

About the only thing that is different about "The Beautiful City" is the acting of Richard Barthelmess. The plot of this picture at Loew's State Theater is model No. 142345, rubber stamp list, but notwithstanding its familiarity, it seems to be as enthusiastically treated as if Mr. Barthelmess and his director, Frank Tuttle, had just run across it yesterday.

The story of the good youth who goes to jail to save his brother from disgrace in the eyes of his mother. He is caught in a frame-up between the villain and his weakling relative, and the usual web of circumstantial evidence.

The worn-out theme is made passably interesting by Barthelmess's characterization of an Italian youth of the tenement district, and by Dorothy Gish's very pleasing playing of the Irish heroine.

One of the more dramatic scenes transpires in an Automat, which lends local color, and the culminating fight sequence takes place in a Chinese theater. From a melodramatic standpoint this climax has novelty, in that it becomes a sort of burlesque, with the Chinese scrambling out of the way of the fighters. This treatment does not make for any wild excitement in the finish, but at least it has not the deadly sameness of so many others where the hero manages to punch the villain's head.

Barthelmess is really wasting his talents on such material as this, but I presume it should be duly appreciated for what it offers of acting by him.

William Powell does a villain of conventional mold—mold is right—with an enthusiasm that would almost make you believe that he liked the part. Frank Puglia is good as the brother, and Florence Auer just fair as the mother.

The Fanchon and Marco idea is good only in the freakishness of some of its costumes and the masks that are worn by those who take part. It is much below their standard. "The Dance of the Hours" is played under Gino Severi's direction.

Bitter Sweet Moment in War Drama

Mitchell Lewis and Nanette Vallon
As they appear in a scene in "What Price Glory," now in production at the Playhouse.

VALENTINO STUNG BY "COBRA"

BY HERBERT MOULTON

No longer does he carry off, against all of the adversities that the makers of movies can devise, the fair damsels of his fancy.

Rudy, the gallant, the fiery, the impassioned, has been tamed.

The picturization of Valentino's metamorphosis may be seen at the Metropolitan in a film called "Cobra," and despite the fact that it is one of the worst pictures it has ever been my misfortune to watch, it is, paradoxically, one of the most interesting.

I imagine that every Valentino fan will shed a tear or two if, by any chance, she happens to see it.

It is difficult to understand why "Cobra," like so many other photoplays, was ever filmed. One's natural suspicion is that somebody thought it would be nice to give the public just what a great many movie producers think the public wants.

So they took poor Rudy and kept him in front of the camera, like a collar advertisement, when he should have been out playing golf.

In consequence, "Cobra" is chiefly a series of long, slow-motion close-ups of a man whose greatest success came with rapid, romantic action.

Valentino plays the part of a young Italian count, who spends a miserable existence dodging beautiful women. The fact that he is almost penniless doesn't make a bit of difference—the doggone ladies go out of their way to bask in the sunshine of his smile just the same. For, as Rudy explains in an early talkie, he can't help it—it's a heritage, it's been a family curse for generations.

Whereupon we are treated to a humorous little sequence showing Rudy's great-grandfather (played by Rudy, himself) having a perfectly terrible time with two love-smitten females, who insist on throwing their reputations away for one of great-grandpop's smiles.

Thereby proving that Rudy had a GREAT grandpop.

In order to engage his admirers and at the same time nourish the family exchequer, Valentino comes to America with a young New York antique dealer whom he has helped out of an embarrassing situation.

But the Count learns to his sorrow that a great many American women have the same ideas as their Italian sisters; a handsome man is a handsome man, it seems, whether he is in Siberia or Singapore.

Accordingly, when Nita Naldi, as the very naughty niece of a very nice, but giddy, old lady, appears on the scene, things look black for Rudy.

True, the road to the climax is by way of a long detour, during which Nita marries the young American antique dealer, but it is obvious that the super-siren will bob up again and cast covetous eyes on the hero.

During this complacent period in the story, Valentino takes a genuine interest in his employer's blonde secretary. The young lady is duly alarmed, but soon becomes convinced that Rudy has mended his ways and means her no harm. Just when quite a little romance is building up between them, along comes Nita. What happens had best not be told here. Suffice it to say that, as often happens on the silverscreen, Fate plays a large part.

Fate, however, will have nothing to do with what will happen to Valentino if he appears in many more pictures like this.

Casson Ferguson, as the American antique dealer, gives an excellent performance, done with fine sincerity and restraint. It is quite the best in the picture. Gertrude Olmstead plays the secretary, with whom Valentino is in love, but suffers from poor direction.

Others who appear are Claire de Lores, Eileen Percy, Hector V. Sarno, Lillian Langdon, Henry Barrows and Rosa Rosanova.

"Cobra" was directed by Joseph Henabery and adapted from a stage play of the same name.

On the entertainment side of the program this week at the Metropolitan are several very excellent features. One of them is Mr. Forbstein and his "New Idea" orchestra. I'm not sure what the new idea is, but the orchestra, under Mr. Forbstein's double baton, gives a pleasing rendition of popular Italian melodies, to which is appended a lighter offering of symphonic jazz.

The Christmas spirit is aptly expressed by Hal Roach's "Gang" in a brisk little comedy called "Good Cheer." Al Morton and Ed Mayo, billed as "two nuts left over from Christmas," burlesque an Apache dance in the good old slapstick way, while an ensemble of singers and dancers provide prologue atmosphere in a subdued, and therefore pleasing manner.

SURPRISES GIVE ZEST TO PROGRAM

Music Features and Revival Overshadow Feature at Forum

Christmas week at the Forum sparkles with surprises as gay and colorful as the ornaments on the lovely tree that decorates the archway at the left of the proscenium.

The splendid musical program arranged by Ted Henkel in keeping with the Yuletide spirit and the revival of "Peter Pan," which was screened yesterday immediately following the regular matinee, were received joyously by the large audience.

The Forum has been reviving favorite features for their week-end programs for several weeks and yesterday's offering was like a totally unexpected gift in one's stocking on Christmas morning. The management announces "Peter Pan" is to be screened again on Christmas Day, following the matinee.

The musical entertainment quite overshadows "The Verdict," the feature film, which has to do with the miscarriage of justice in the case of William Collier, Jr., who is convicted of the murder of Lou Tellegen wholly on circumstantial evidence. But through the thorough-going activities of his attorney, Elliott Dexter, and the human qualities of the appellate judge, George Fawcett, young Collier is given another trial and is acquitted, just when he is headed for the electric chair, and restored to his sweetheart, Louise Lorraine.

Quite obviously the theme of "The Verdict" is one that many stories for stage, screen and magazine entertainment have been based upon, "The Verdict," directed by Fred Windemere, boasts of a fine cast, however, several of whom appear merely in bits—Gertrude Astor, Joseph Swickard, Taylor Holmes, Charles Clary, Walter Long, Gaston Glass, Maude George, Paul Weigel, Stanton Heck and James T. Mack.

In addition to Ted Henkel's orchestral presentations, in an Aurora Borealis setting, in which little Hazel Kennedy is featured in song and dance divertissements, Lillian Powell appears in a picturesque solo bubble dance and her group of esthetic dancers are attractive.

The Harriet Rumsey Trio with Lucy Day, soprano, offers a "Melody Shower" which was cordially received yesterday as were the piano number by Harriet Rumsey, the cello interlude by Dorothea Mulson and the violin solo by Ella Herbert. The program embraces an aria from "La Boheme (Puccini;) a combination symphonic salad including bits from musical masterpieces and the "Indian Love Call" from "Rose Marie" (Friml.).

A hilarious comedy reel, "Bachelor's Baby," featuring Big Boy and Pal, the dog, tuned to the jingle of sligh bells from Santa Claus town is another highlight on the bill which will run up to and including Christmas night.

Benny Leonard Heads Orpheum Holiday Bill

Benny Leonard heads the Christmas week bill opening today in a comedy skit, with Charles Leon and company.

Al Moore and his Jack Tars, a new idea in bands, is featured.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barry in "At Hensfoot Corners," Ed Lowry "still smiling" and the Albertina Rasch dancers, are featured.

The Meyakos, three Golfers, and Gaston Palmer, with topics and news and the Charleston contest for Monday to Thursday are other features.

FLASHES

CHARMING FILM

"WHY WOMEN LOVE" GOOD IN SPITE OF TITLE

By Grace Kingsley

I suppose we just all naturally do love the gell who waits years and years for her lover to return to her. And "Why Women Love" is a good reason why women love that sort of gell. Because Blanche Sweet is the gell. "Why Women Love" is on view at the Criterion. "Why Women Love" really should be changed to "How Women Love," because how those women do love!

There are just a few directors who can take a melodrama and make you believe it. Edwin Carewe is one of them. He has taken many drahms of mello out of the melodrama—has deepened and widened and strengthened this story, until it pulsates with life and reality. What direction he has given it, to be sure, and what fire and force there are in the acting!

The story is taken from Willard Robertson's play, "The Sea Woman," but one instantly divines how much better a picture the story would make in the films than on the stage. There is that explosion on the oil ship, for instance—what wonders Carewe did with that. You will never forget, I think, Russell Simpson, rowing amid the flaming inferno on the water to rescue Blanche Sweet.

With what care Carewe has planted every important event. When Blanche was to swim under the water, in order to escape the flames, for instance, that event is preceded by an order from Simpson. When the boy at last gets his sweetheart's letters, the manner in which they were kept for him by the old landlady is made the plausible reason why they were not lost. These things all add incalculably to the convincingness of the story.

Blanch Sweet is magnificent as the girl. She makes the character lovable without being saccharine; she makes the heroine characterful without making her strike a single attitude.

All the characters, indeed, seem to be speaking, not merely seen, they are so natural. Robert Frazer never did better acting than in this picture, and nobody, I am sure, in the role, could possibly have surpassed him. Again he wins the rubber-stamp title of "one of our very finest film actors."

Dorothy Sebastian rises to every difficult acting occasion as the wilful daughter of the lighthouse keeper who saved the heroine's life and whom the heroine has promised to take care of. We were very glad when Pearl passed out of life and the picture, however, as otherwise we were very sure that Bob and Blanche never could have been married.

Once again Al Roscoe unwinds the ruined girl's arm from his neck. And, of course, he does his work excellently.

Russell Simpson deserves a starring vehicle all his own, and somebody is going to give it to him sometime. What a character actor he is! As the hard, rigidly religious lighthouse-keeper-preacher, who doesn't hesitate when the time comes to live up to his creed by doing his duty unflinchingly even to death, he is splendid.

Edward Earle is very good in a thankless role. "His boy has a very fine dramatic understanding. It seems to me and I am always sure that at least as long as he is on the screen, I'm going to enjoy myself. Charlie Murray, of course—it goes without saying—lends added humanness and humor to the picture.

As for the "Helen and Warren" story, while that brilliantly clever Hal Cooley and that very genuine little Katherine Perry try their best to plant the beloved characters, the story is just another hoke comedy. Marian Harlan, Grant Withers and the others likewise labor admirably.

NOTED STAR COMES HERE FOR WILKES

Maud Truax to Have Role in "Duchess of Pittsburgh" at Orange Grove

Thomas Wilkes has secured Maud Truax, noted New York stage star, to play the role of Mrs. Peter Pernell in Lea Freeman's whimsical sea mystery, "The Duchess of Pittsburgh," which opens at the Wilkes Orange Grove Christmas afternoon, it was announced yesterday.

Miss Truax comes to Los Angeles with a long string of theatrical triumphs to her credit, having played in Henry Savage productions for several years and with Cohan and Harris and Klaw and Erlanger with Robert Hilliard. She originated a part in "The Fool," in which she had such a sensational run here sometime ago and was sent East under a two-year contract to play a featured role in the same production. Miss Truax has been in stock in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston and Washington and played a year's engagement at the St. James Theater in London in one of George Bernard Shaw's plays.

The role of Mrs. Peter Pernell, wife of a Pittsburgh pickle magnate in "The Duchess of Pittsburgh," is said to be ideally suited for Miss Truax. The part calls for a buxom, good natured woman, typically American.

Beside Miss Truax, Wilkes has also engaged for the play following "White Cargo," which closes next Wednesday night Miss Charlotte Stevens, 1925 Wampas Baby Star, Florence Oberle, Clair Verdera, Mia Marvin, Roland Bottomly, Ralph Freud, Olaf Hytten, Jack Vosburgh, Bram Nossen, Al Cunningham and Tudor Owen.

PILGRIM PLAY GIVEN

Commemorating the three hundred and fifth landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, Percy Mackaye's play, "The Pilgrim and the Book," was conducted under direction of Ruth Helen Davis at Wilshire Boulevard Congregational Church last night. The play and the elaborate musical score will be given in the church again tonight at 7:30 o'clock. In the cast were Boyd Irwin, Robert Gordon, Dorothy France, Ethel Guy, Gabriel Ravenelle, O. K. Walker, William McLaughlin, Norman Peck, Bonar Dyer, Rosamonda Joyvelle and Carl Bruckner.

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BY ISABEL MORSE JONES

The Christmas spirit becomes a beautiful reality for several thousand people when the immortal hymn of Handel is sung.

Yesterday, "The Messiah" was sung by the Los Angeles Oratorio Society for the twelfth Christmas season. It was superbly done.

The choruses, carefully trained by John Smallman, were sung with enthusiasm and the tone contrasts were exceedingly effective. The soloists, Corleen Wells, Vernice Brand, Paul Althouse and Arthur Middleton, sang the exacting recitatives and familiar arias with understanding and a fine reverence for tradition.

The Bierlich Ensemble provided a splendid artistic background of strings and its rendition of the Pastoral Symphony which beautifies the first half of the oratorio was well worthy of a repetition.

Ray Hastings, the well-known organist, officiated at the console with ungrateful results—that is, the audience was ungrateful because the organ was a half-tone lower than the orchestra and the effect was a headache.

Paul Althouse sang the tenor numbers with rare finish. His tone was smooth and his phrasing bespoke the highest musicianship.

Arthur Middleton's deep chest tones rolled out over the auditorium with all the assurance that one would expect from his 500th performance. His coloratura embroideries were a bit labored, even so.

Vernice Brand has been exceedingly well taught. She sang with poise and finish. The quality of her voice was strained. She lacked the freedom and volume to raise her voice above the orchestra or the chorus. There was too little dramatic feeling in her reading of the Messiah. One felt rather than heard her reserve power.

Corleen Wells has the spirit and the natural vocal gifts for the soprano parts of this oratorio. She took the difficult arias with a refreshing joyousness which disarmed the criticism which some of her bad phrasing merited. Miss Wells did not have sufficient breath to balance the long measures or else she had some very original ideas of Handelian accent.

MELLONINO DISPLAYS ABILITY IN ENSEMBLE

The Zahpad Trio and the Stoloff String Quartet gave the second of their chamber music series at the Friday Morning clubhouse yesterday afternoon to an appreciative audience.

The program of an Arensky Quintet, the B-la-F variations and a Tschaikowsky Trio, made an interesting concert list.

As I only was able to hear the last half of the Tschaikowsky Trio, mention must necessarily be brief. The fragment heard was done in a decidedly theatrical manner. Clare Mellonino provided the dramatic interest at the piano. Her technical facility is delightful, but Marris Stoloff had difficulty in matching it with his violin. Mme. Mellonino is a host in herself and she needs big artists and certain intonation with which to exemplify her gifts of leadership.

Stoloff has musical background but if he is going to make a first-class ensemble player he will have to develop a keener ear.

Why call a Sunday afternoon chamber music concert a "Festival?"

Irish Girls Put Pep Into Vaudeville

"An' sure it's a gr-r-rand old Ir-r-rish name" is what McGinty would say about any of them. Sheila Terry, her partner, Johnnie Egrkes, his wife, who was professionally known as Beth Sullivan (abbreviated from O'Sullivan,) and his sister-in-law, whom the program calls Virginia Sully, but who really is Virginia O'Sullivan. Yessir, shur 'tis a fine Irish lot, that comes to the Hillstreet Theater this week.

No, not "Pickard's Chinese Syncopators"—they're Filipinos—or the "Eight China Rosebuds"—they're Americans—but those of Miss Terry and Mr. Berkes's amusing song-and-dance divertissement, "Easy Sailing." There's a sly Gaelic wit and lightness about them and their work that make complete the delight they afford.

Irish by blood and Irish by name, no one of the group, which includes Miss Terry, Mr. Brekes, his wife, the Beth Sullivan of former Ziegfeld "Follies" fame, her sister, who, for stage purposes has changed her name to Virginia Sully, has ever had the soil of old Erin on their shoes, yet even in the third and fourth generations of descendancy from Irish progenitors, there's still enough of the "auld soil" in them to make futile and useless any attempt to hide it.

And what Irishman ever did?

SIGNS NEW CONTRACT

Max Fabian, well-known camera expert, for sometime past under contract to the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, has signed a new contract with this organization. Fabian recently completed photographic work on the important scenes in "The Barrier," a Rex Beach story directed by George Hill, and has handled the camera on a number of other important Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer features. His next picture has not been assigned as yet.

EIGHTY LAND IN VICE SQUAD NET

Local Officers Launch First Raid on Venice

Contreras Makes Several Hauls in Outlying Resorts

Asserted Gamblers and Moral Offenders Arrested

For the first time since it became a part of the city of Los Angeles, Venice experienced a liquor raid in the early morning hours yesterday. Only two arrests were made.

In other liquor, gambling and vice raids by city and county officers, eighty-one prisoners were taken, nine stills and two automobiles seized.

The Venice raid was conducted by vice squad officers acting under the direction of Inspector J. E. Davis.

The Los Angeles detectives, according to reports on file yesterday, visited bootleg resorts and made two purchases of liquor which resulted in the arrests. Those brought back to Central Police Station on Wright Act charges are: O. A. McFadden, who was arrested by Sergt. Childers in a pool hall at Market street and Trolley Way, and Ross V. Creekmur, who was captured at Speedway and Windward, when he is asserted to have attempted to escape from Officers Macrae, Silverman and Laberge.

NINE STILLS TAKEN

The week-end activities of Capt. Davis's men in Los Angeles netted thirty-four arrests for liquor-law violations, twenty for gambling, and eleven for infractions of the moral code.

Sixteen prisoners, nine stills and two automobiles were the fruit of the week-end efforts of Chief Enforcement Officer George Contreras and his squad, revealed by a report made yesterday. In making one of the captures, officers had to fire several shots in the air over the head of Earl Langford, asserted Wilmington bootlegger, and a companion of Langford is said to have escaped. Langford is charged with the sale of five gallons of whisky.

At Culver City, H. L. Therlon and William Sparrow were arrested charged with whisky sales and R. F. Wideman, a drug clerk, with sale of alcohol. Near Puente K. Shirota, Antonio Calandrina and K. Nimura fell afoul of the law, the former for a matter of twenty-five gallons of whisky, the second for a still and some liquor, and the latter for 200 gallons of sake. At Walnut, D. F. Farrero had a still blasting merrily, officers said; while near Watts M. Marquez is said to have had three stills, much mash and thirty gallons of the finished product. Harley Hagin and Walter Cameron also were arrested at Watts with an automobile and three cases of whisky, the officers said.

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Mike Charpentier and a twenty-five-gallon still were taken at Whittier, said the officers, while at Compton, they continued, John Freeman and two stills and some whisky were taken. Near Wilmington, James Prindle and twenty-eight pints were taken, it was declared, after a sale by Prindle. J. C. Campbell of Huntington Park, a gallon of wine and a Ford car were taken, and Campbell was charged also with driving while intoxicated, the report asserted. At Belvedere, John Esqueda, a cement contractor, is said to have had a five-gallon still running and to have consumed so much of the result he quarrelled with his family.

PLAN FLORAL GREETING FOR TOURISTS

Transforming Barren Valley Highway Spots to Gardens

Beautification Association at Work

Left to right: W. A. Johnston, J. M. Paige, A. M. King, Fred M. Colville, Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner

TRANSFORMATION of many of the rolling barren hills of the San Gabriel Valley into beautiful flower gardens as one means of expressing a welcome to the newcomer to Southern California is a burden voluntarily shouldered by the recently organized Valley Beautification Association.

W. A. Johnstone of San Dimas, president of the association, announced yesterday, following the planting on Saturday of an entire hillside on the Valley Boulevard to twenty-one different varieties of native California wild flowers, that the regular meeting of the body will be conducted Friday night at Alhambra to further the plans of the association.

Twenty-two different communities in the San Gabriel Valley are represented by the association, covering the territory lying east of Los Angeles to San Bernardino and the beautification program is intended to beautify unsightly spots along the Valley Boulevard, which is one of the important gateways to the Southland to the eastern automobile tourists.

The other officers of the association are Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrener, vice-president, and Fred M. Colville of El Monte, secretary. J. M. Paige, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Pomona, and A. M. King, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce of Alhambra, are members of the association and are among the enthusiastic workers.

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

ANAHEIM, Dec. 20.—H. J. Huelskamp, teller in the First National Bank here, has resigned his post and is filling a position in the sales department of the Orange County Rock Company. Huelskamp has been associated with the First National Bank for about two years. Although his new position will take him to all parts of Orange county, Huelskamp will continue to reside in Anaheim.

BACKFIRE OF GAS CAUSES EXPLOSION

Backfiring of surplus gas in a pipe in the plant of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation at Vignes and Macy streets early yesterday evening caused a deafening explosion that shook nearby buildings. There was no damage, according to officials. The surplus gas is consumed by being allowed to pass through a vent, when it is automatically ignited. The mishap yesterday, it is said, was caused by collection of surplus gas in a pocket of the pipe.

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RITUAL CONFLICT GRIPS WORLD, PASTOR WARNS

Lack of Christ-Like Men and Women Need of Today, Asserts Dr. Culbertson Over KHJ

ring that the spiritual conflict of the ages is upon ld, Dr. H. C. Culbertson, in an address from The Times broadcasting station yesterday told his vast, invisible audience that the great need of today is for an invincible phalanx of true men and women who will stand shoulder to shoulder in the practice of those ideals enunciated and manifested by the Master of Galilee. Preaching on "History's Cross-roads," Dr. Culbertson spoke in part as follows:

"In spite of the clearest evidences of confidence is the way in which all paths of history converge the moment when Jesus was born in little Bethlehem, the out-of-the-way country town. Then, for the first time in history, all the civilized world came under one government, the colossal power of imperial Rome, whose military roads made travel easy and safe from nation to nation, so that the rapid spread of the message was facilitated. The world had gained a footing. The Roman empire was at last warring kingdoms, which for hundreds of years unceasingly, for century, it became possible to inaugurate a world-movement. Then, also, for the first time in history, one nation, the Greek, had become master, and used in all civilized countries the language of literature and commerce. Our gospels were written in Greek and circulated in leagues throughout the lands surrounding the Mediterranean.

KINGDOMS DESTROYED

"Even the thinking men of Greece and Rome, the philosophers of those days, had little confidence in their own gods. The developing moral consciousness of their people was outgrowing faith in the stories of the petty and intriguing gods who lived on Mount Olympus. Behind their sleeves many of the pagan cosmopolitan philosophers were seeking a new truth, but were finding no philosophy adequate to the needs of weak, sinful humanity. The best minds of the world were turning toward Judea for a religion of moral purity and the worship of one God. The world had gradually been prepared and where the noblest minds had been yearning for centuries for the coming of a Savior who would make all their dreams come true.

"In all history is more beautiful than these longings for a Christ in their gropings toward the ever-fleeting foregleams of righteousness should find fulfillment. The story of the beginnings of consciousness of sin, which also the hope that the seed of the woman should bruise the serpent's head, as described as foretelling the Christ who had promised to send a prophet who should be greater than Moses, and who had declared that he saw a star rising out of Jacob and a scepter out of Israel. In the hour of Adam's failure and sin, Nathan the prophet from among David's descendants there should some day arise one who would reign in righteousness. In psalm after psalm is the picture of a righteous rule and of a glorious earth. Isaiah, thinking of the suffering of the faithful servant, sees the eternal truth that only by suffering for the sins of others can the sinner be justified, and in the most wonderful passage of the Old Testament he depicts the coming leader as a man of sorrows, the servant of Jehovah suffering for the sins of humanity. In these words are the spiritual truths that found expression in the life of Jesus. Jeremiah foresees the day should come when God will make a new covenant with His people, not upon tables of stone, but in the fashion of the old-time prophets, but in the hearts of men. Many of us have discarded the old method of trying to find some type of Christ in every great character in the Old Testament, but there can be no doubt that the noblest longings of the heart of Israel were in the person of that fulfillment of time when God breathed into the world the perfect character of the Christ Child of Bethlehem, 1900 years ago.

CHRIST ALWAYS NEW

"The words of Jesus have always been new. There was more than the birth of a human child in the birth of our Savior. We become in this material world of time surrounded by a spiritual universe invisible to our five senses, and that the laws of nature which we have investigated and of which we have found out only the a b c's, as yet, reach out infinitely beyond our earthly ken into the eternities about us. Spiritual, heavenly forces are always shaping our earthly life, always striving to enter and bless our souls. In that supreme hour, in the fullness of time, when, through Providential guidance, human development and preparation had made it possible, God released Himself in Jesus.

"The world will never tire of repeating the old story of that first Christmas. We love to think of the angel of God who spoke to the humble maiden of provincial Nazareth, and to read anew the exultant song which Mary composed as she trudged the rocky pathways on her journey to visit Elizabeth. We follow with aching sympathy the weary travel of Joseph and Mary all the way from Nazareth to Bethlehem because a cruel imperial power had decreed that everyone must be taxed in the city from which his ancestors came. At the end of the tollsome road, there was no room for them in the crowded inn. How all the guests would have made way for the carpenter and his burdened wife if only they had known! How many overcrowded lives today would make way for Him if only they could understand! But they were not all heartless, there in Bethlehem. Kind hands cleared away a space for them in a stable, and there, amid the lowing of cattle and the sighs of weary beasts of toil, the Christ was born. Out over the fields the angels sang "Good will to Men." They sang to the shepherds, the crudest, most ignorant class of all the people, men who, in those days, would never have been considered of the slightest account, but the angels of God sang to them that night. Over in the Far East, learned Magi, poring over their scrolls and tracing the movements of the stars, saw something in the skies which started them journeying westward to find a king, one who should be known as 'the Great Teacher,' in whose honor schools would be founded and universities named.

WORLD FULL OF PROBLEMS

"What would the world be without this story? Imagine it taken away! Imagine what our earth would be like if no one had ever believed that God had come down to live among men, to show us the way of life, and to win us to love and serve Him, to call all men our brothers and to see that all men are His children. How much it has meant to the world that God revealed Himself, not in a palace, but among the lowliest, with a message of the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man that is so simple and universal that the tiniest child who can say 'father,' may understand it, often better than learned theologians. Since Jesus came into our life through the gates of poverty and hardship, we believe that in every dark valley through which we must pass, we can touch the hand of the Living Christ, and know that He understands us and can make our hearts light. It was a terrible world into which Christ came. Slavery was universal. In the sunshine, the fetters clanked on the limbs of the slaves. Wages in Judea were a penny a day. In all the world there was no such thing as a hospital. Weakly children were cast out on the hills to die as worthless. A proud Roman lord used to throw slaves into the pond in his court yard to be eaten by his pet lampreys, until the Emperor made him cease and filled up the pond. Crucifixions were common. Into this world of cruelty and greed came Jesus, saying, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto Me,' and in His name, lo, the slaves have been freed, imperial tyrannies have given way to republics, hospitals and schools have dotted the landscape, new ideals of service have begun to take possession of business and public life.

"We are confronted with many problems in our modern world. In this way we become greater and wiser in the permanent things, feeding not only the body but nourishing also the consciousness which is the molder and regulator of all bodies."

ZACHARIAH'S VISION EXPLAINED BY RABBI

Dr. Mayer Winkler, rabbi of Congregation Sinai, preached last Saturday on "The Vision Zacharia." He said in part:

"The prophet Zachariah's clothes his message in an allegory. Among the fascinating but mysterious visions, the picture of the Menorah contains a deep meaning, an eternal lesson to humanity. Light dispelling darkness, the darkness of the groping soul striving toward contentment and happiness. The eternal lights of faith are illuminating this road for the weary traveler of the human race. The seven-branched candlestick symbolizes the fundamental principals of religion. The lamp in the midst streaming forth the light of belief in the unity of one God, as the source of our beliefs, as the fundamental principals upon which the various structures of predominant religions stand. To the right the three lamps illumine the idea of God, creator of the world, a God who is just and merciful, a God who revealed himself to humanity. On the left is the principal of the golden rule. Are we not all children of one God? Why should we contend with one another?"

Order Autopsy on Body Found in Automobile

Coroner Nance was asked last night by the police to order an autopsy on the body of Carl Limberg, 22 years of age, of the Palomar Hotel, who was found dead yesterday morning in his automobile in front of the home of W. B. Blackmore, 750 North Hobart Boulevard. Though Limberg's death is considered probably to have been caused by acute indigestion, the discovery that he was being sought by police on bad check charges prompted the request for a further investigation.

Limberg was discovered by a passer-by who notified Blackmore, and he in turn notified the police. Limberg, it was said, was Blackmore's brother-in-law. His body was sent to the Ruppe undertaking rooms after Detective Lieutenants Wicklund and Kling had identified him as a man against whom charges had been made.

MISSIONARY ZEAL SAID TO BE FADING

Rev. W. C. Isett, pastor of Amanda Chapel, preached yesterday on "The Religion of Christianity." He said in part:

"The center of Christianity, as a religion, is Jesus Christ, just as the center of Buddhism is Ghatama Buddha, and of Mohammedanism is Mohammed; but with this difference, that Christ is worshiped as God, while, technically, neither Buddha nor Mohammed is considered God. Christianity is one of a number of religious systems. Its claim to universality is disputed by all other religions except Animism. During the nineteenth century the dominant note of Christianity was missions. It was the intention of the followers of Christ to Christianize the world. The Christian Church has lost that missionary zeal in large measure, and new oriental religious leaders are sending missionaries to America and Europe. What is the religion of Christianity? Pre-eminently that love is the fulfillment of all law, and that this love is implanted by God in the human heart. Therefore, that a rebirth is necessary into this life of love because human nature is self-centered. Love leads to service, which means the expenditure of life in helpfulness of others. It cannot be content with merely building up a spiritual body for itself; this body will serve well enough for the time as a dwelling place for the new spirit. The body is and always remains body—matter, but the whole world, that is everybody, must become a spirit. Christianity is social rather than individual. This service motive is most fully exemplified in Jesus Christ, who being God, suffered the legal penalty under which men lived and labored for themselves alone, regardless of the suffering thus caused to others, and so brought eternal life into the world. This removed all obstacles for the soul of man to become the channel through which God could let His life of love and blessing flow to all mankind. This forms a mingling, or, rather, a co-operating of God's activity and life, with man's activity. Thus man becomes not his own god, as in oriental religion, but a being like unto God, but always less than God. This is the message of joy which Christmas brings."

BIDS CHRISTIANS KEEP CHRIST IN THE HEART

"Keeping the Cross in Christmas" is the subject of a sermon preached yesterday by Rev. Albert B. Reits at the Rose Hill Baptist Church. Mr. Reits said in part:

"Henry Ward Beecher once said: 'Christ has been accepted almost universally throughout the world as an external power; but Christ as a purifier, as a Savior from sin, has been almost universally rejected throughout the world. How many myriads of men are there, who on Christmas Day, wear flowers in memory of Christ, chant hymns in honor of Christ, and present gifts in celebration of the birth of Christ, who will not let the Master enter one step into their hearts to purify them! Let us beware lest we fall into this error, which so widely prevails in these latter days, of receiving Christ outwardly and rejecting Him inwardly.' How true it is! We cannot rightfully rejoice over the love-story of Bethlehem's cradle without including the love-story of Calvary's Cross. If we exclude the cross, then the very manger which we extol becomes the emblem of our rejection of the Savior; then we, who refuse to open our hearts and home to Christ, should blush with shame at the very mention of the manger. We would rightfully cringe before the contempt of our friends who had learned that we refused the President admission to our home, and had made the most distinguished citizen sleep on an old cot in our garage! The presence of God glorifies any surrounding. The royal chamber in Cesaer's palace could not have glorified the Christ-child, but the babe in the manger glorifies the humblest habitation. The wealth and the wisdom of this world are not needed to glorify Christ, but Christ cradled in the soul of the meek and the lowly will transfigure that humble dwelling place, and pour into it the riches of heaven and the wisdom which cometh from above. The love-story of the cradle is the love-story of the cross and the story of the crown. The tragedy of the manger is the exclusion of the cross and the rejection of the crown. Keep the cross in Christmas!"

MANLY HALL SPEAKS TO LARGE AUDIENCE

More than 2000 persons attended the services of the Church of the People at the Trinity Auditorium yesterday morning when Manly P. Hall gave an address on "The Spirit of Christmas." Mr. Hall said in part:

"We have other bodies besides this form of clay. At our Christmas dinner may we feed the heart with the finer sentiments in order that love and understanding may be born there. We feed our higher bodies by the things that we do in our lives which strengthen and harmonize with these bodies. Part of the work of Christmas is to build into the soul-body the fruitage of our experiences, that the higher man may be fed with the conscious acceptance of experience which is the only food that the spirit can digest and assimilate. Let our Christmas dinner be a feast for the soul, to build into our bodies the fruitage of experience.

EXPECT QUARANTINE FUNDS

Chamber Looks to Congress to Allot $500,000 for Equipping Harbor Station

Seeking an adequate quarantine station for Los Angeles Harbor, the Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with Dr. H. G. Spencer of the United States Health Service, stated yesterday through Clarence Matson, manager of its foreign trade department, that Congressional action on this important harbor equipment might be expected within a short time.

Through prior efforts of the harbor committee of the chamber, Gen. Taylor, chief of engineers, in Washington, is said to have recommended to Congress an appropriation of $880,000 for bulk-heading and reclamation of an area around Reservation Point, formerly known as "Dead Man's Island," in connection with deepening the main channel for the purpose.

Notwithstanding that Dr. Spencer states this port stands third in ports of America regarding ships passing through quarantine, Matson declared there was no adequate quarantine station here. San Diego is well equipped in this respect as are numerous other ports handling a lesser number of ships than Los Angeles.

The support expected from Congress consists of a bill appropriating $500,000 for quarantine here. With the reclaiming of the proposed site on Reservation Point in conjunction with the rivers and harbors improvement, it was said by Matson the port would have adequate quarantine facilities.

"It will be necessary for the people of Los Angeles to vote on transferring title to the submerged land around Reservation Point to the government, as the title of the government now covers the use of the land only for military purposes," declared Matson yesterday.

BUNKO QUIZ WORK DUE TO GO ON TODAY

Grand Jury Committee to Draft Reports for Action at Session Tomorrow

That today will see considerable activity by grand jury committees investigating bunko conditions in Los Angeles was indicated from information gathered from different sources last night.

While the grand jury as a whole does not reconvene officially until tomorrow, it is understood that committees representing the entire body have planned work to be accomplished that will result in definite reports that may be acted on officially tomorrow.

After Gov. Richardson had laid material before the jury last Friday in an effort to support his assertions that his investigation of the parole of E. A. (Big Hutch) Hutchings has convinced him that bunko men operated in Los Angeles under cover of protection from local officials, it was learned that the grand jury contemplates subpoenaing about a score of witnesses.

From authoritative sources it was learned that up to late last night none of those subpoenas had been issued, but it was expected that some probably will be issued for service today. Rumors to the effect that the revelation of the names of some of those to be called before the jury will provide sensations were current among those who claim to have inside information on what was going on.

Official confirmation of any developments to come, however, was lacking. Gov. Richardson left for Sacramento late Saturday night Dist.-Atty. Keyes could not be located at his home, and Dep. Dist. Atty. Richardson, who, it has been announced, will assist the grand jury in conducting the investigation, declared that "there is nothing I can give out at this time."

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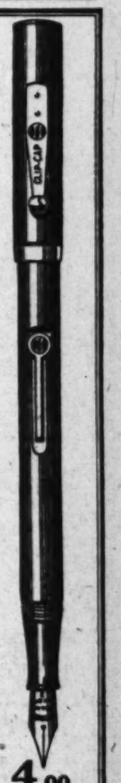

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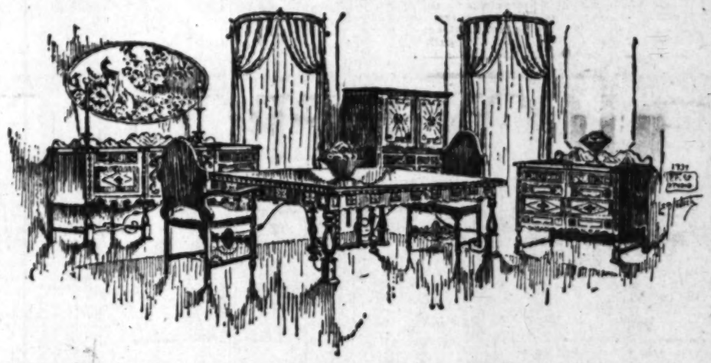

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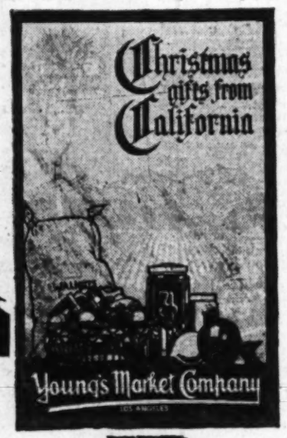

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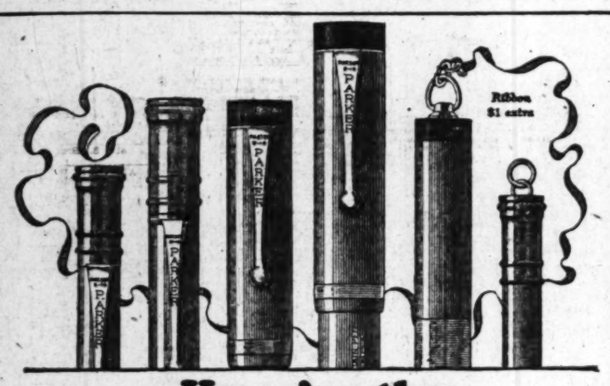

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ZONE PLAN OF HARBOR OPPOSED

Chamber Declares Slight Gain in Safety Would Not Warrant Expense

The Chamber of Commerce, through action of its board of directors, has gone on record as opposing the harbor zoning plan proposed by G. F. Nicholson, City Harbor Engineer, according to announcements yesterday.

Action of the board of directors, it was said, was taken against the proposal on grounds that removal of the harbor oil shipping to the breakwater would entail a hardship on the oil industry not commensurate with the slight additional safety which would attain.

Investigation by a subcommittee, headed by C. F. Guthridge, according to chamber reports, revealed that due to extensive safety precautions the oil-loading plants are no greater fire hazard than any other industry. Concrete walls around each tank, it was said, act as containers to stop any flow of oil onto the harbor waters in event a tank should burst.

On the contrary, it was said that insurance companies had taken the stand that a greater fire menace would be created if all the oil facilities of the harbor were grouped in a limited area, which would be entirely swept by fire, in the event a blaze started.

It was pointed out also that the plan takes into account only that part of the harbor within the city limits, and that when a unified port district is created, an entirely different situation will result.

DUPLICATION OF BONDS ASSAILED

City Treasurer Calls Policy Wasteful

Declares Only Contractor Benefited

Process Costs Thousands, He Asserts

A protest against duplication of improvement bonds issued by his office which is declared to be costing the city thousands of dollars, was contained in a letter sent the City Council by City Treasurer Powell. The letter was received and referred to the Public Works Committee for consideration.

When an improvement is started bonds are placed on individual properties, the clerical work being done by the Treasurer's office, Mr. Powell declared in his letter that recently a new procedure has arisen whereby the bonds are split, and two $50 bonds are levied a lot in place of one $100 bond. This results in doubling his work and confusing the property owner.

"I am now finishing 7919 bonds of the second issue of the Main-street boundary sewer," he wrote. "It has taken six weeks for the office to get out these bonds, while all other warrants are lying around waiting for time for the office force to work on them. This is merely a duplicate of a similar issue of about two months ago."

The cost of getting out the issue is $4000, Mr. Powell said, working an imposition upon the taxpayer and benefiting no one but the contractor, who thus can get his money sooner. The extra $4000, he stated, does not include the expense of clerical hire for looking after the double amount of bonds for the next ten years. He stated that he will be forced to enlarge his staff by at least ten men if the policy is continued.

"I do not believe that as officials of the city we are justified in saddling an unnecessary expense for ten years upon the taxpayers simply as a matter of accommodation to someone," he concluded.

The letter stated that the writer had received indirect information that the same assertedly wasteful policy was to be pursued in the West Jefferson and West Adams street improvements, and requested a thorough investigation of the whole matter.

ANGELENO DIES AFTER TRAIN CRASH

Student Receives Fatal Injuries in Pennsylvania Wreck

Ben E. Hess, 22-year-old Los Angeles student at the Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pittsburgh and son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hess of Huntington Park, died in an Altoona (Pa.) hospital last night as a result of injuries received in a train crash near there a few hours before, according to a telegraphic report received by the parents.

Hess was one of ten passengers injured when train No. 92, a fast express of the Pennsylvania Railroad, running between Pittsburgh and New York was derailed west of Altoona, Pa.

Graduated from the Huntington Park High School and the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena, Hess took up research work at Carnegie Institute last August. He was a chemical and mining engineer. He was en route to Woodhaven, Long Island, to spend Christmas with his sister, Miss Bernice Hess, according to his father.

Besides his parents, residing at 212 Gentry street, Huntington Park, he leaves three sisters and one brother, Miss Bernice Hess of Woodhaven, Ruth and Evelyn at home, and Ernest Hess of Zion City, Ill. The father is a teacher in the Alhambra schools.

Arrangements are being made to have the body brought here for funeral services and burial.

AIR FLEETS TO CONDUCT LONG 'WAR'

Maneuvers Will Include Attacks on New York and San Francisco

Regardless of Congressional action on the development of military aviation, the United States Navy already has laid down a two-year operation plan for its aircraft squadrons which will be put underway on January 1, it was revealed yesterday at the port by battle fleet officials.

The essence of this program will be a "constant warfare" plan, chiefly to keep personnel and force in fighting trim and also to attain perfect co-ordination between the aerial and surface arms of the fleet. Chief among the projects are two attacks by the combined air and sea forces of the battle fleet; the first against the port of San Francisco, in June, 1926, and the second, early in 1927, against the port of New York. Army air and land forces will participate in both problems.

An interesting phase of the attack on New York in the spring of 1927 is that both of the new gigantic aircraft carriers, the U.S.S. Saratoga and U.S.S. Lexington, will be completed and will participate in the maneuvers. All fighting units of the battle fleet, based here, together with the scouting fleet, based on the Atlantic, will participate in the attack on New York, while in the San Francisco maneuver only the battle fleet will be active.

Other phases of the plan, expected to greatly increase the efficiency of the Navy's air forces, are a number of distance flights, headed by next summer's California-Hawaii hop, the mapping of Alaska by battle fleet airmen, and the development of bombing, fighting and spotting squadrons.

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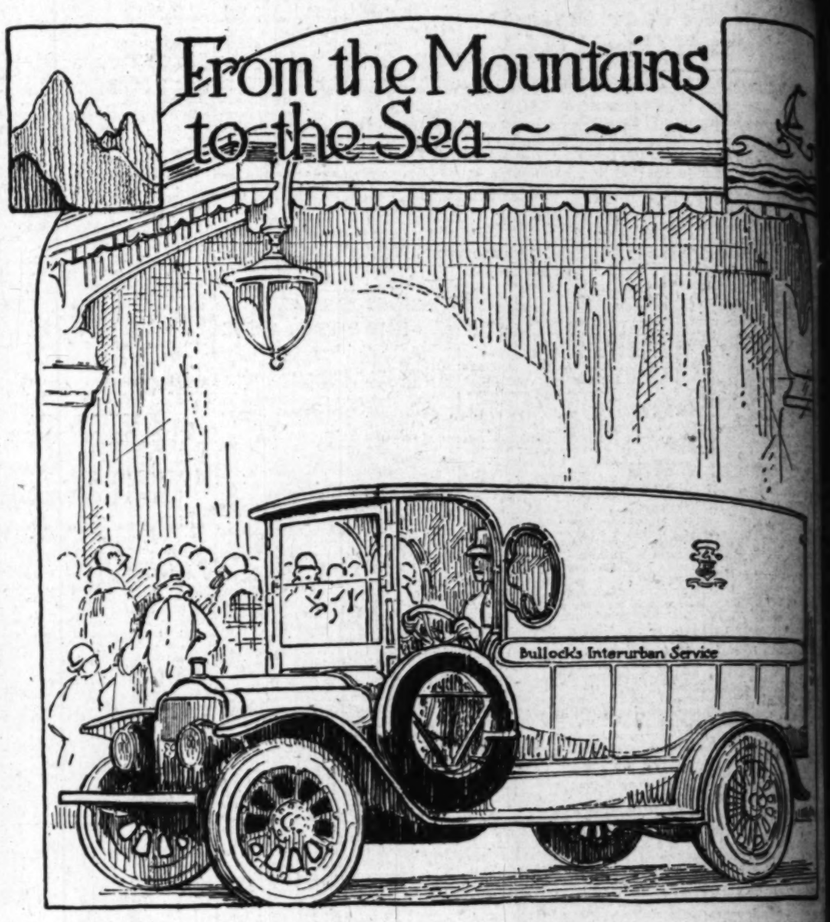

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BEAUT. roller canaries. Lovely singers, $12.50, $15. W. 57TH ST.

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BLUE prints made to order. Mechanical drawing, sets, $2. SO. CAL. BLUE PRINT CO., 114½ W. 3rd.

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IDEAL, HELPFUL, USEFUL GIFT THE AIR-WAY ELEC. CLEANER Cleaner that cleans whole home. FREE DEMON. EVERY HOME. COOK BROS., 934 Santee.

Washing Machines

SPECIAL FOR XMAS Hamilton Beach Washing Machine, $137.50 complete. Rare price $49.50. GANS BROS. INC. 141 So. Main St. ..... 2nd. Fl.

WASHING MACHINES New, $77. $5 dn., $4.66 a mo. Factory store, 2240 W. WASH.

Wheel Toys

FACTORY outlet highest grade line tricycles, $8.50 up; scooters, $1.95 up; wagons, seesaws, children's furn. A large line doll buggies at sacrificing prices. Save $ on wheel toys. 1413 N. SPRING, and Jacoby's basement

WANT-AD RATES

Effective July 27, 1925.

Rates per line insertion: 20c consecutive times, 18c Daily, 24c Sunday; 7 to 29 consecutive times, 15c Daily, 18c Sunday; 3 to 6 consecutive times, 21c Daily, 27c Sunday. ONE TIME, 30c Daily, 36c Sunday.

SITUATIONS WANTED, 7 or more consecutive times, 15c Daily, 18c Sunday; 3 to 6 consecutive times, 16c Daily, 19c Sunday; ONE TIME, 20c Daily, 25c Sunday; minimum charges, 40c Daily, 45c Sunday. Advertisements for the subheadings "PAINTING, DECORATING, PAPERHANGING," "DRESSMAKERS & SEAMSTRESSES" and "NURSES" will not be accepted as Situations Wanted Advertising, and will be charged for at the General Want Ad Rates. 15c Daily, 20c Sunday.

"NOTICES OF SPECIAL INTEREST," "SOCIETY MEETINGS," "PERSONALS," "SPECIAL NOTICES," "STOCKS AND BONDS," "STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS," "MONEY TO LOAN—DIAMONDS & JEWELRY," "PHYSICIANS," "MEDICAL," "SANATORIUMS" and "BATHS & MASSAGE," 20 consecutive times, 20c Daily, 25c Sunday; 7 to 29 consecutive times, 24c Daily, 30c Sunday; 3 to 6 consecutive times, 27c Daily, 33c Sunday; ONE TIME, 30c Daily, 36c Sunday.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES, MOTION PICTURE ADVERTISING, etc., under any classification, 20 consecutive times, 24c Daily, 30c Sunday; 7 to 29 consecutive times, 21c Daily, 27c Sunday; 3 to 6 consecutive times, 24c Daily, 30c Sunday; ONE TIME, 30c Daily, 36c Sunday.

Advertisements on rate basis on application.

To estimate the cost of want ads count 5 average words per line. Word containing more than 6 letters should be counted as two words.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment of Want Ads, as no mistake will be rectified without them.

Consecutive order advertisements for the Daily or Sunday Times cannot be discontinued or changed after 4:30 p.m. of the day preceding date of insertion.

Cancellations of advertisements before appearance cannot be guaranteed to take effect until after the advertisement has appeared once. Countermands must be received by 1:30 p.m. for daily issue and 6 p.m. Friday for Sunday issues.

Rates for display advertising will be furnished on request.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

The inadvertent omission or incorrect publishing of advertising will be rectified only by cancellation of the charge made for the service rendered.

FRIDAY, 4 P.M., is closing hour for the early issue of the Sunday Times.

COLLECTION BOXES:

The Times maintains Want-Ad collection boxes in the lobbies of the following office buildings, where you may deposit copy for Want-Ads or answers to box number advertisements. (Collections are made hourly 9 a.m.-5 p.m.): Braly-Shops, 521 W. Seventh st. Braun Bldg., 1240 W. Main st. Broadway Central Bldg., 424 S. Broadway. Bryson Bldg., 146 S. Spring st. Busch Bldg., 840 S. Vermont. Byrne Block, 233 S. Broadway. California Bldg., 205 S. Bdway. Chapman Bldg., 704 S. Broadway. Columbia Title Bldg., 413 W. 3rd. Cotton Exch. Bldg., 3rd and Main. Delta Bldg., 624 S. Spring st. Detwiler Bldg., 412 W. Sixth st. Douglas Bldg., 257 S. Spring st. Edwards & Wildey Bldg., 440 S. Grand. Grant Bldg., Fourth and B'dway. Heilman, I. W. Bldg., 4th-Spring. Heilman, I. W. Bldg., 134 W. 4th. Heilman, I. W. Bldg., 611 S. Main. Hibernian Bldg., Fourth & Spring. Higgins Bldg., Second and Main. Johnson, O. T. Bldg., 4th-B'dway. Jr. Orpheum Bldg., 815 S. Hill. Knickerbocker Bldg., 649 S. Olive. Lankershim Bldg., 5th and Spring sts. Lankershim Bldg., 120 W. Third. Laughlin Bldg., 915 S. Broadway. Lee's State Bldg., 707 S. Bdwy. L. A. Ry. Bldg., 111th & B'dway Pacific Electric Bldg., 6th & Main. Pacific Finance Bldg., 610 W. 6th. Pacific Mutual Bldg., 523 W. 6th. Parmelee Dohrmann Bldg., 412 S. Hill st. Rives-Strong Bldg., 9th and Main. San Fernando Bldg., 401 S. Main. Security Bank Bldg., 6th & Hollywood Blvd.

Severance Bldg., 105 W. 5th st. Silent Bldg., 715 S. Hill st. Stock Bldg., 4th and Broadway. Title Guarantee Bldg., 177 W. 5th. Transportation Bldg., 122 E. 7th. Van Nuys Bldg., 210 W. 7th st. Western Mutual Bldg., 321 W. 3rd. Wright & Callender Bldg., 633 S. Hill. Y.M.C.A. Bldg., 715 S. Hope st.

TIMES TELEPHONE MEtropolitan 6700.

TIMES MAIN OFFICE, Corner Broadway and First. TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 621 S. Spring st.

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—And Stolen

CANVAS, lost in package on Sunset av. White. DU. 7114, or 1810 Grafton.

CERTIFICATE lost 2 stock certificates for Los Angeles, T. F. Collier & Co., indorsed by R. M. Carrs. Call owner, C. N. RICHARD, 139 So. Orange st., Glendale. Ph. Glen. 2959.

DOG lost, in Griffith Pk., Sunday p.m. Silver collar & chain. Finder pls. notify HOUND, white with tan spots, ph. Glendale 1276-W or 4176 Garden ave. Reward. Lost Pals.

DOG lost or stolen, brindle bull, Boston terrier, female, has China eye. Finder please notify me and receive reward. 3011 MANITOU ST., Phone Cap. 1983.

DOG LOST—on Dec. 18, screw tail Boston bull, white breast and lump on side of neck. Liberal reward. Address MULLENGER, 1015 Puente, Puente, Cal. Ph. 533-24, Puente.

DOG lost, pointer, near vicinity of Artesia, Saturday. Reward. Notify owner, 1218 S. Hope st. Answers to name of Jeff. Call DE. 4178, liberal reward.

DOG LOST—Black and white French bull. License No. 14518. GR. 8533. Reward.

DOG lost: 2 Pekingese brown & white reward. Lankershim 428-W.

FUR lost, marten, on Ocean Park pier Sunday afternoon. Please phone FI. 4967.

PARCEL lost containing brown leather billfold, vicinity of Hollywood Blvd. & Vermont. Reward. Call TR. 3741. Monday or after.

PIN LOST, Chi. Omega Sorority set with pearls. Name on back. VE. 4645.

POCKET book, lost Saturday p.m., containing cash, R.R. tickets (not validated) and papers valuable only to the owner. Will finder please return tickets and papers to JOHN F. KLIST, at Hotel Clark and keep the cash as a reward.

PURSE lost on 6th st. near Western. Brown leather. Reward. WA. 0146.

SUITCASE lost, containing bathrobe, medicines, etc. Saturday. Reward. VE. 2959.

VANITY case, black, lost Tuesday at or near gas station, Los Robles and Walnut, Pasadena, containing money, watch and Masonic billfold of deceased husband, and other contents of value only to owner. W. ARNOLD, Howard, Ph. VE. 1846.

WATCH lost, wrist, square gold, 7 diamond setting. Reward. EM. 6346

LIBERAL reward for return of bar pin containing 21 diamonds lost between Dec. 11th and 13th, in South Pasadena. Finder notify TOPLIS & HARDING INC., 216 Story Bldg. Phone MEtro. 4484.

WILL lady who found watch in purse, ladies' lavatory, Rosslyn Hotel, Dec. 19, kindly return watch and pin only to Rosslyn Hotel and receive $5 reward. No questions asked.

PHONE your want-ads to The Times. Copr. 12 experienced ad-takers. Courteous, experienced ad-takers day and night, will help you with your copy. If desired, will suggest. TRinity 6700.

WRIST watch (diamond) lost. "Ellen Morgan Sydnor, Cleveland, Ohio," engraved on the back. Reward. Ph. Wash. 7767.

SPECIAL NOTICES—Miscellaneous

SUGGEST a name for a new spring model, adopted for 1926; $100 gold. Address R. box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

TEL—REPAIRS ANY WATCH—$2, Mainsprings; clocks, jewelry, repair work guar.; 2 yrs. 921 S. BROAD.

Baths and Massage

FOSTER'S treatment for efficiency and health. Elec. Cond. Steam, Swed. Mineral bath and massage. 12 trained nurses. 324 PLANTS & EICKMAN, Mrs. Hill. Sun. 10-4. 1205 E. Vernon.

THE NU-LIFE SYSTEM WILL REDUCE or build up your body. QUICK RESULTS. Elec. bath, Swed. massage. Lic. women nurse. 218 Haas Bldg. 210 W. 7th. Sun. 10-1.

MISS MORGAN & Gene De Corsey, tired, baths and mass. $1.50; salt glow, $1. Nurse in attend. Hrs. 10-8:30. Sun. 10 to 2. 255 W. 52ND PL. cor. of Monroe.

ELECTRIC cabinet, Swedish massage, baths. KAARBY KING & LEE, NURSES. Open, both sexes. Hrs. 9-9 Sun. 10-3. 910 CONSOLIDATED BLDG., 4th & Hill Sts. TU. 4060.

JUNE JAY TAYLOR First-class manicurist, hours 9 to 8. Open Sun. Ward Hotel. Suite 2. 3013 S. OLIVE.

MODERN CULTURE INSTITUTE Mineral treatments & massage, both sexes. 10 to 10. Pearl Berry & Hazel Morris, 1910 W. 6th st.

ELEC. treat, method for facial and body lines. Reducing, bob quickly. MISS MAE DAVIS, 1309 S Valencia st. Hrs. 10 to 5.

NORMALIZE THE BODY by natural methods, electricity, sweats, baths, massage, etc. Hrs. 9-8. Sun. 12-6. 1215 S. BDWY. OR. 4107.

INSTITUTE of Electro-Therapy. Scientific massage, grad. attendants, both sexes. 24 hrs. 1215 UNION LEAGUE BLDG., 2nd & Hill.

GRADUATE nurse will give massage and violet ray treat. to either sex at her home or their res. TE. 7059.

STAR JAPANESE BATHS & MAS. Internal and scrub baths. Oil rub. Both sexes. 215½ N. San Pedro

MISS LA PLANTE & HANSEN, violet ray scalp massage, hrs. 11-7, 1254 S. FLOWER. Office 3.

CHIRO. adjust., violet & sun ray massage. Miss Dalzell, assist. rm. 223, Grant Bldg., Hrs. 9-6. TU. 6360

RUTH DAVIS—1ST CLASS MANICURING. 213 S. SPRING ST., RM. 264. HRS. 10-7. OPEN SUNDAY.

MEDICATED baths & manipulation for rheumatism. 206 UNION LEAGUE BLDG.

LUCILLE WEBBER & LEROY, TU. 1275. Sun ray, scient. manipulation, chiro. adjust. 225 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

MASSAGE, chiro., osteo., vib. Nurses, both sexes. 1003 Haas Bldg. TU. 2995. Hrs. 9:30-6. Sun. 10 to 2.

NOON, M.D., TriClast Vibro, sun ray treat. Infants, asst. 304 S. Bdwy. Suite 303. Sun. 10 to 2.

MARATHON baths. Sweat. Blood wash. Best masseurs. Expert nurse. Hrs. till midnight. 1258½ W. 7th.

MISS ADAMS & Miss Williams, massage and manicuring. 1229 1-2 SO. FIGUEROA. Hrs. 10-7. Open Sun.

MASSAGE. Vio. Ray. Vib. Alcohol rub $1 up. Opr. both sexes. 9:30-6:30. 419 DELTA BLDG., 424 S. Spring.

SPECIAL NOTICES—Miscellaneous

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS

DOUGLAS PRESS—Printing all kinds 1000 PRINTED BUS. CARDS, $2.50 723½ S. SPRING. FA. 1288.

AWNINGS—Window painted, stripes, $5. Stores, $10. CAMPBELL, AX. rides 6610.

LOS ANGELES CAN CO., 201 and 213 San Fernando Blvd., Capitol Hill.

STOVE repairs, furnace, fireplace & chimney work, all burners. AX. 0510

Attorneys and Counselors

ADVICE FREE. ALL LEGAL MATTERS. DOMESTIC RELATIONS. PROBATE. DAMAGES. CORPORATIONS. SUITE 226 CAL. BLDG., COR. 2ND & BRDWY.

C. C. CASWELL, ATTORNEY ADVICE FREE. General practice. Private, confidential. 206 WESTERN MUTUAL BLDG. 321 W. 3rd St.

ALL LEGAL MATTERS. ADVICE FREE. LEONARD, 902 -04 Story Bldg. Way Arcade. Also eves. Tues. & Thurs. 7-8. TU. 7669.

ALL MATTERS. ADVICE FREE. Gronna, Ragland & Bales, 8th Floor, Security Bldg., Faber 6338.

FREE law, family matters, estates, 20 yrs. exp. 546 Douglas Bld. Eve. 5-9

Auctions and Auctioneers

EXTRAORDINARY AT AUCTION Monday, 10 a.m. Dec. 21st, $20,000 worth of electrical fixtures, electrical supplies, raw materials, etc., and $5000 worth of office equipment and office furniture of the Bungalow Fixture Co., at 518 So. Flower st., Los Angeles.

This sale will continue for 3 or 3 days until the entire stock has been disposed of. All this merchandise was assigned by the insolvents and purchased by us from the Los Angeles Wholesalers' Board of Trade at a substantial discount of their cost and office furniture of the Bungalow Fixture Co., at 518 So. Flower st., Los Angeles.

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BROKER or promoter to join with me in exploitation of light rapid fire military carbine developed for industrial use, protected by patent applications. Simplest military firearm ever designed. Inexpensive to manufacture. Proper backing will yield fortune to interested parties. Have model for demonstration. Only parties financially responsible invited to investigate this invention. Correspondence will be held in strict confidence. Address P. box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

DO YOU ENJOY FISHING? Small mouth Black Bass, Cat Fish Perch, stocked pools. 2 hours from Los Angeles by good roads. Upkeep cost only ten dollars a year. Address HD, box 249, TIMES OFFICE, for full particulars.

OPPORTUNITY for man or woman with $6000 cash to receive 6% income at least $240 a month. Full particulars at 1216 S. SAN PEDRO

AUTOS PAINTED, $12. GUARANTEE WORK. 5661 S. Western ave. Rear bldg.; entrance on 56th Place.

FALSE teeth repaired, 424 Bryson Bldg., 2nd & Spring. TU. 9582.

CLUB memberships, golf, beach, ath

WANTED—HELP— Male

Salesmen and Solicitors

A FAMOUS RESORT

On Ridge Route is now opening to the public that will rival Lake Louise, Canada, in scenic beauty, and we want a few experienced resort salesmen who will be paid a commission that will permit them to have a bank account within a few days. This paradise is one mile high and located just

56 MILES

from Los Angeles on the finest paved road in the world. The villa sites will be sold for $100 to $500 each on payments to suit the public. Genuine leads furnished and cooperation given in closing. We dressed men who will work to make $10,000 a year, see our MR. WINTON T. CHURCHILL, 411 Lonconia Bldg.

A PERFECT DEAL

comes once in a lifetime but is generally sufficient to permit one to retire. Just such a deal is on the market right now and we can use a few more clean-cut men who will work to earn

$15,000

per year. No competition, easy to sell. No lead given, but a new lead system does the work. To qualify you should be well dressed and experienced. See MR. TINCH, suite 411, Lincoln Bldg.

WANTED

Young men of education and personality to learn real estate business. Men who are willing to work. Opportunities for men who produce. We train you thoroughly.

Apply to Mr. Oldfield between 9 and 10 a.m. Monday.

THE FRANK MELINE CO.
Main Office, Sun Bldg., 7-11th

MEN AND MANAGERS VERY RARE

An associate body of men have put over two big issues in past year are now established and expanding; need a few men for good money positions. If can sell apply N. box 466, TIMES BRANCH.

EXPERIENCED advertising salesman for special edition. Night and day position. See Mr. Jones, 901 Transportation Bldg.

AN EXPERIENCED ADVERTISING Salesman for recognized high class medium. Leads furnished. Apply 409 GROSSE BLDG.

SALESMAN, our men drawing $60 to $100 weekly, experience unnecessary, direct leads. Apply 312 Hollywood Security Bldg.

BIG money-making permanent positions for willing workers. No samples to carry. Good commissions. Apply 423 S. Spring, MR. OLSEN.

SALESMAN calling on grocery trade to handle Long Beach product. Commission basis. Address TIMES, box 999, Long Beach.

SALESMAN for Hudson & Essex cars. STANLEY W. SMITH, INC., 1616 S. Figueroa.

SALESMEN for close-in subdivision in Long Beach; fine opportunity for hustlers. See owner 723 W. 8TH.

J. B. RANSOM organization needs few more high-grade men and women. 614 NAT. CITY BANK BLDG.

SALESMEN
WANTED
$801 MONETA AVE.

WANTED—Hardwood floor exp. solicitor, 75% 415 E. COLO., Glendale.

Salesmanship Lectures

A XMAS MESSAGE
WORTH WHILE
AT OPENING OF
LARGER HALL
TUESDAY EVE., DEC. 22ND
LA SALLE HALL 515 SO. HILL
Second Floor
MR. THOMAS
U. S. STAR SALESMAN
Appellhanans of
La Salle Extension University
will talk on:
REACHING SUCCESS!
CHOOSING A PROFESSION
OVERCOMING FEAR
REACHING YOUR 10,000 CLASS
Ambitious Men & Women Welcome.
Ushers may be had. No admission. No admission after 8.
NOTHING FOR SALE AT HALL!

WANTED—HELP— Male

Investment Required

ATTRACTIVE position for man with good references, executive ability and capital to invest in highly profitable local business. Address XH, box 143, TIMES OFFICE.

ASSISTANT, pleasant Holly. pos. New system. Teach & pay worker $15 wk. Small inv. req. 6636 Holly. Blvd

HELPER, gas stn., good income. $650 reqd. 124 W. 4TH. RM. 483.

WANTED—HELP— Female

ADVERTISEMENTS under this heading are restricted to those offering bonafide positions without any investment required. Positions requiring an investment will be found under the headings: "Investment Required." Educational ads will be found under the headings: "Educational—Schools, Colleges," or "Private Instruction." "Business Training Courses and To Learn Trades."

Miscellaneous

EMBROIDERERS—Experienced Bonas on machine embroidery. Steady work and highest salaries. Apply R. BARNETT, 126 Stockton st., San Francisco.

WANT young ladies to advertise and sell for well established firm, good money to hustlers. 936 LOEW'S STATE BLDG.

LADY to place Rowley sewing machine in homes on free trial. No experience to carry or selling to do. Mr. Russell, 616 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—Girl may earn board, room and $25 a month while attending MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE 612 S. Figueroa.

WAITRESSES, cooks & kitchen help, maids, housewrkrs & couples in & out of town. GREENE'S EMPLOYMENT AGCY. 143½ S. Bdwy

WANTED—Distribution agent for a high class European reducing remedy. Apply 1736 HUDSON AVE. or phone AR. 8284.

KITCHEN helper, (Hungarian). $18 wk., room & board; cook & dnstrs., $40 mo.; waitresses, ANGELUS EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, 406 S. Main

COOK & butler, $150, working H.K. hotel, $75, ANDERSON EMP., 124 W. 3rd. R. 406.

REPRESENTATIVES, men & women, with good personality for outside work. Apply 1424 E. 1ST ST.

COMPLETE business course, room & board for young lady for evening work. 520 JEWELERS BLDG.

WANTED—Neat-appearing lady, four months' work Saturday afternoons only. 627 S. Broadway, ROOM 412.

LADIES ($3 for 3 hrs. spare work); big studio. Exp. unneces. Apply 627 GROSSE BLDG., 4th at Spring.

WANTED—Neat, businesslike lady for steady work. Apply 627 S. BDWY. 434 STACK BLDG. 4th & Bdwy.

GIRL, exp. not necessary, good pay. 1519 S. Broadway, ask for Mr. Klein.

CANDY & fountain girl. 6710 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., afternoon & eve.

Store and Office

STENO.-Secy., single, under 30, $125
BKPR. OPR., bank exp. $90-$100
STENO. & NOTARY PUBLIC, exp. $140
STENO.-SECY., Riverside, agle. $140
STENO., escrow exp. $110
BKPR. full chg., exp. $110
STENO.-BKPR., ins., San Bernardino $125
GENERAL CLERK., 30 yrs., sls. $90
CLERK, 2 yrs. exp. $100-$110
E. P. BILLER, 2 yrs. exp. $100-$110
ORGANIZATION BLDRS. EMP. AGY., 409 Central Bldg., 6th-Main.

WANTED—HELP— Female

Household and Domestic

FIRST-class colored girl with references to stay on place. 741 SO. GRAMERCY PL. Good cook, $30 per month. Fitzroy 0179. Thursdays & Sundays only.

COLORED girl for cooking and downstairs work in country home, near Pasadena; 4 in family; other help kept; good wages. References required. COLORADO 4941.

COMPETENT white woman for general housework, plain cooking & assist with children. No laundry or heavy cleaning. $60. WH. 6341.

COOKS & girls, $40-$75, 2nd maids, beskprs., $70 nurse girls, waitresses, no fee. HOMER TUBERMAN MISSION, 2008 E. 7TH.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman for general housework; 4 adults and one child. Separate room and bath. $75 a month. Phone WH. 2329.

WANTED—Lady for housekeeper and care for sick lady. Out of town position. Address P, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—Good cook in small family. Private room & bath. Other help employed. Phone OLympia 3510, 8 a.m. or 6 p.m.

MAID for upstairs work and assist with children. Wages $50 per mo. 829 S. ALEXANDRIA AVE. Wash. 4627.

REFINED student, wanted in small family, rm., board, wages, exchange for services. 697-247. 614 NO. ARDMORE.

HOUSE worker, permanent, 2 in family, no laundry, $40. Pleasant rm. first-class food. 1406½ Ridgewood Pl. GR. 6758.

GOOD middle-aged woman for country all modern conveniences. $25. 1035 WESTLAKE AVE., DR. 6782.

GIRL for general housework and cooking. White preferred. 115 S. MANHATTAN PL. Phone 0826.

WANT middle aged lady as housekeeper for elderly lady. Call after 6 p.m. 1136 CHASE, N. of Sunset.

GIRL or woman to assist with housework & child, $20 a month, room & board. Call 1923.

WOMAN for general housework, good cook. References. Call Ex. 3831, or 1419 DELLA, So. Pasadena.

NEAT young white girl who knows something about cooking, assist gen. hswk., good home. WH. 6466.

GIRL, 17 or older, as mother's hlpr. Part wages, good home. Wash. 8419.

REFINED, middle-aged woman as mother's helper. WHitney 4194.

REFINED white girl for general housework. 3 in family. Phone 0.1282.

WOMAN to care for small boy & home while mother teaches. Ph. 762-252.

GERMAN Agy., 466 S. Main. Room 336 1st floor. Exp. maids, waitresses.

MIDDLE-aged woman to care for two children by the week. 766787.

GOOD girl for general housework. Reference required. 8 S. UNION. 82939.

COOK, priv. family, 2 children, new home. conv. Ref. AIR CARS 7372.

MAID FOR GENERAL HSEWK. Good home. 831 S. Harvard Blvd.

Hotel, Restaurant and Club

CAPABLE woman as apt.-house mgr., 70 rms., very high grade, only experienced mgr. considered. Address in writing age, references and salary expected. Address O, box 840, TIMES BRANCH.

EXPERIENCED waitress wanted. Waldorf Lunch, 131 E. Jefferson.

Professions and Vocations

WANTED—Practical nurse, colored, middle aged woman, without family, to take care of sister, 12 yrs. old. References required. Call at once. 1961 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—Young woman, graduate nurse, for general hospital duty. small general hospital. Personal application only. HUNTINGTON PARK HOSPITAL.

EXPERIENCED child nurse. Young baby and 2½ yr. children. Sun. 2 to 6 and 1½ yrs. 782 S. BRONSON. DU. 5014.

POR open in Calif., Ariz. & Nev. hosp. DRS. & NURSES' REGISTRY 408 Ferguson Bldg.

NURSES, grads., and undergrads., hosp. duties. Christmas. Guide Agcy., 930 2-4 Sunset Blvd.

Investment Required

SALESWOMEN for Hortonsett Trico Suede linserie, direct to consumer, Los Angeles and adjoining territory; commission. Apply between 10 and 12. Investment for sample kit. 744 CRENSHAW BLVD., L. A.

WANTED—HELP— Male and Female

Miscellaneous

SOLICITORS, something you can sell. 50% commission, 2-way proposition. SULTANIC MFG. CO., 1258 W. Slauson.

OUTSIDE drapery salespeople with cars. LOUISE BURBANK, Adrian Studios, 2219-3211 W. 6th. WA. 2647

MAN & wife as janitors in apt. house. 1316 Maryland st. DR. 8790.

Instructions, Miscellaneous

A MOLER GRADUATE
Ranks among the most expert in the country. Is safe & reliable. Earn while you learn. Positions furnished. Eve. classes. HAIR DRESSING COLLEGE, 2nd and Hope
BARBER COLLEGE, 400 S. 8th.

LEADER COLLEGE 764 S. HILL
BEAUTY CULTURE AND HAIRDRESSING, DAY AND EVENING CLASSES. ESTABLISHED 15 YRS.

FLORENTINE Beauty College teaches Marcel, water waving, hair dressing, manicuring, facials, hair nets, permanent wave. BOYER & ACCOTT. 333 S. Bdwy., 8d floor.

To Learn Trades

WELDING, electric and acetylene; 4 weeks' daily practice. 1113 W. WASHINGTON

WANTED— Agents and Canvassers

A LIVE book manager for a good-selling proposition. James W. Marsh Book Sales Co., Drawer 1048, Hollywood Station, Los Angeles.

EVERY store to handle the most remarkable boot & shoe val. ever kn'n. Send for our descriptive circular. Atlas Shoe Co. 4573 Holly. Blvd.

EMPLOYMENT— Agencies

EFFICIENT colored help, employment bureau. ALLEN LEAGUE, Katherine Barr, Supt., 1323½ Central Ave. 1395.

BEST colored help, male & female. Phone 24 hours. Mamie's Phila Agcy., 977 E. 12th. ME. 8336.

QUICK—All colored, good jobs, best help here. Coleman Old Reliable, 211 E. 2nd. TRinity 8471.

TUCKER'S
EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. 2114 W. SECOND SINCE 1906.

WANTED—SITUATIONS— Male

Miscellaneous

PUBLICITY and sales director, Los Angeles and Chicago experience, with successful sales record in national field. Know market analysis, sales promotion, layout, copy writing, house organs, general publicity, confidential work. Available January 1 for manufacturer, large distributor, bank, public service corporation, agency, publisher. A-1 references. Address O, box 812, TIMES BRANCH.

MARRIED rancher, experienced in citrus, also alfalfa and general farming. References. A. A. GILKISON, 119 N. Cullen, Glendora, Calif., Ph. 444-R2.

MAN, American, 44, handy with carpenter tools, will do any kind of work. Have tools. Go anywhere. Ad dress P, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

FURNITURE reupholstered reasonable price, workmanship guaranteed. Home at shop or residence. For estimate call AXridge 4698.

YOUNG man attending school wants any work to earn room and board, or about $10 week; honest. Ph. JAY SMITH before 5 p.m., AX. 9091

MIDDLE-aged man wants night watch job. Best of references. Phone 1225 or GA. 2567.

ELEVATOR OPERATOR, LOCAL EXPERIENCE. Main 2199. ROOM 35.

EXP. young man service station or tires. Call RE. 6046.

MAN 23, night watch, or any light work. C. V. Gleason, L.A. Hotel, 218 Boyd

STENO., 22, 5 yrs. exp., desires permpos. Small office. CH. 0257.

EXP. young man, janitor wk. after 5 p.m., eves., MA. 1645, ANGELO.

MAN, handy with carp. or mach. tools. 1118 S. Berendo Dr. 2769.

Store and Office

AUDITOR can open books, put in system or make audit, financial statements, full or part time. DR. 1858.

ACCOUNTANT, alert, efficient. Open set books, keep books, install systems, financial statements. TU. 6032

GENERAL office man 25; 10 yrs. experience in imports, general business and details. Best refer. BE. 6114.

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Fine new 47-room flat bldg., 8
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...Only clear property considered.
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